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TOI LYN FLICK
Special to the Beacon

There's an opening for a princess in Belle Fourche High School's presentation of *Once Upon a Mattress*. In this production, the princess and the pea story is retold as a musical. And with some very definite, hilarious changes from the fairy tale with which audiences may be familiar! Join King Sextimus, Queen Aggravain, Prince Dauntless, a myriad of knights and ladies as well as the minstrel and the jester as they search high and low (and swamps!) for a princess who will meet the queen's standards. Of course it doesn't help that the tests she puts each hopeful royal through are more rigged than the stereotypical casino game! Let's just say it's a good thing that Princess Winnifred isn't the typical princess.

Once Upon a Mattress was written by Mary Rodgers, Marshall Barer and Dean Fuller and was first performed on Broadway in 1959 and was revived in 1996. It has been a high school favorite for many years across the country. After performing the show, it is easy to see why it is such a hit with casts and audiences alike! It's a bit of a fractured fairy tale with fun, catchy songs, clever lyrics and lines, and hysterical characters. You don't want to miss *Once Upon a Mattress* which will be performed by Belle Fourche High School April 8th and 9th at 7pm and April 10th at 2pm.

The cast, crew and pit band are under the direction of Toi Lyn Flick, Nathan Schreier and Micah Pennel.

Cast: Minstrel- Sophia Thompson, Wizard- Elijah Pomrenke, Lady Larken- Naomi Bricker, Queen Aggravain- Nyomi Woltkamp, Prince Dauntless the Drab- Dustin Kolb, King Sextimus the Silent- Treyton Johnson, Jester- Joselyn Shockey, Sir Harry- Orin Olson, Princess Winnifred- Rose Sprigler, Princess#12- Olivia Furrow, Sir Studley- Ethan Staley, Sir Luce- Carston Sechser, 1st Knight- Thomas Nash, 2nd Knight- Wyatt Lesmeister, 3rd Knight- Nic Lambert, Lady Rowena- Tessa Stearns, Lady Merrill- Maggie McCord, Lady Lucille- Elizabeth Ann McCord,

Lady Mabelle- Aleyah Carbajal, Emily- Nell Uskoski, Bards-, Alex Klocek and Katie French, Ladies/Kitchen Wenches- Alex Scofield, Aysluna Hockenbary, Grace Clooten.

Tech Crew: Elliot Kreager, Jessie Walker, Brenna Leitner, and Jordan McCulloch.

Pit Band: Pianist- Lucy Cole, Clarinet- Carlie Reeves, Flute- Ariana Richter, trombone- Brad Rushton, Trumpet- Brodie McNeese and Tony Knappen, bass clarinet/tenor saxophone- Alysia Frisbie, bass guitar- Connor Johnson, percussion- Payton Jackson, drum set- Albert Key.

“Once Upon a Mattress” April 8, 9, & 10th



Back-Alex Scofield, Olivia Furrow, Orin Olson, Ethan Staley, Sophia Thompson, Maggie McCord, Elijah Pomrenke
Front- Rose Sprigler and Dustin Kolb- *Courtesy Photo*



Left: Dustin Kolb, Joselyn Shockey and Treyton Johnson; (Center) Orin Olson, Ethan Staley, and Nic Lambert (right) Thomas Nash, Elizabeth Ann McCord, Carston Sechser, Aleyah Carbajal, Grace Clooten, Nell Uskoski, Joselyn Shockey, and Alex Klocek- *Courtesy Photos*

Welcome Back the “Buzzards” (Turkey Vultures)

MEG ENGLISH

Special to the Beacon

The return of the Belle Fourche “Buzzards” is imminent. Typically, they arrive during the first week in April. “Buzzard” is the common name for these graceful birds that settle in to their favorite nesting trees in Belle Fourche until the first week in October when they vanish completely.

Our Belle Fourche buzzards are not really buzzards at all,

but turkey vultures. Buzzards are birds that belong to the family of hawks. Unlike the turkey vulture, buzzards catch, and kill their prey. Turkey vultures prefer “pre-prepared” dead food and the more dead, the better. Although they are beautiful in flight as they soar on wind currents, turkey vultures are awkward on the ground and quite unattractive up close. (See photo, courtesy of <https://www.publicdomainpictures.net/en/>)

Turkey vultures are the best of citizens. Never mind their fierce appearance, and reputation for regurgitating half-digested pre-decayed rotting road-kill and casting it on predators.

They only do that when really threatened. They don't seem to mind curious trespassers near their roosting trees, but please don't threaten their fledglings.

Turkey vultures are good parents. They mate for life. Females lay two eggs in places such as deserted buildings, abandoned bird nests, or mammal burrows. Both parent take turns incubating the eggs that hatch after about a month. When the chicks learn to fly at about three months of age, they are ready to begin searching for their own food. However, “teenage” turkey vultures are usually accompanied on foraging outings by a parent for several months more.

Turkey vultures are exceptionally efficient when it comes to cleaning up icky, putrid dead things that no one else wants to deal with. Dead animals are a dangerous breeding ground for infectious diseases such as rabies, botulism, anthrax, and cholera that can be passed to humans. Vultures have strong

digestive acids in their stomachs that can destroy these toxins. They are an efficient, industrious work crew armed with strong digestive stomach acids.

Turkey buzzards get along well together. They are social birds that roost in large communal groups. They usually return to the same location and make it their home for generations. Often in early morning, they can be seen “commuting to work” in pairs. Throughout the day, they tend to stick together and forage in small groups. Toward sunset, the birds return home. Often during the evenings, they can be seen gracefully soaring on air currents, and often reaching great heights with wings positioned straight outward. The swirling flocks of vultures soaring on summer evening are called “kettles”.

Some Belle Fourche summer activities and natural events seem to agitate the turkey vultures. For example, summer storms, wind, the fourth of July carnival and parade, outdoor concerts, etc. During these occurrences the kettles circle more vigorously and in greater numbers. Perhaps they only want a better view of the humans in the town where they live for six months of every year? In any event, it's good to have them back. Welcome home Belle Fourche turkey buzzards!

Sources: <https://www.audubon.org/birds-of-america/turkey-buzzard>;
<https://www.chattnaturecenter.org/visit/experience/wildlife/animal-facts/turkey-vulture/>;
https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Turkey_Vulture/id

Albany Farms Receives First Delivery of Equipment

BEACON STAFF

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BELLE FOURCHE – With shipping, supply chain, and economic headwinds Albany Farms continues to make progress in construction of its new Twisted Noodle ramen factory at the Belle Fourche Industrial and Rail Park on the city's north-west side.

The company received their first delivery of production line equipment a week ago Monday, and more is on the way. The first half dozen of what are expected to be 25 truckloads of equipment to establish the initial ramen cup lines arrived at the former Permian Tank facility last week.

The equipment was manu-

factured in Taiwan and was delayed offshore for more than month waiting to be unloaded as COVID caused worker shortages at the terminal.

“But the first ten containers have made port at Terminal Island, Los Angeles, and are on their way here. And from there we'll just keep receiving equipment,” Lyle Rogalla, Plant Supervisor, told the Beacon. According to Angie Besler, Albany Farms Human Resources Manager, the company has also hired a Belle Fourche plant manager. Justin Stacy, who has family in northeast Wyoming, returns to the area to oversee plant operations. Stacy has been a production supervisor for General Electric Aviation where he oversaw production of the

GE9X, the world's largest jet engine at production facilities in Peebles, Ohio, and Dallas, TX. Stacy is onsite and has been with the company for about a month, according to Besler.

Besler says the company will begin hiring a first shift of workers as soon as possible but that may still be a few months away due to remaining uncertainty with equipment suppliers and supply chain issues.

“I've hired two maintenance guys so far and the new plant manager,” Besler said. “Once the line is up and we've done a dry run and dry testing then we'll probably add 20 to 30 people in our first shift.”

The plan is to eventually run

Albany Farms B5



Workers use a large forklift to unload the first shipment of production line components for Twisted Noodles cups which will be manufactured in Belle Fourche. A total of 25 trucks will be arriving in Belle Fourche over the coming weeks to deliver components for the three manufacturing product lines. - *Beacon Photo*



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Marilyn Baker 93



Marilyn Baker, age 93 of St. Onge, died Friday, April 1, 2022 at the Aspen Grove Assisted Living Center in Sturgis.

The funeral service will be held 10 am Saturday, April 9, 2022 at the United Methodist Church in Belle Fourche. Visitation will be held 5 to 7pm Friday at Leverington Funeral Home of the Northern Hills in Belle Fourche. Interment will take place in Pine Slope Cemetery

Marilyn's service will be broadcasted live online, on her obituary page located on the funeral home's website: www.LeveringtonFH.com

Memorials are preferred to the United Methodist Church and Hospice of the Northern Hills.

Marilyn Annette Nelson was born February 15, 1929 in Halstad, Minnesota. She was the daughter of Norman and Myrtle (Akason) Nelson and was raised by her step-father, Rayder Huseby. Marilyn graduated from Halstad High School where she was a cheerleader for the Halstad Pirates. She attended Fargo Business College in Fargo, North Dakota and she also studied Voice and was instructed by Mrs. Keezy. Marilyn sold pianos for the Wiley Piano Company in Fargo. She sang at numerous funerals and events in Norman County and enjoyed being part of choirs and cantata's. During World War II, Marilyn at times sang over the airwaves on WDAY Radio. She was the cousin to Skitch Henderson who was one of the original Director's for the Tonight Show.

On July 23, 1950, Marilyn was united in marriage to Leo Baker in Ada, Minnesota. To this union was born a son: Michael. Leo and Marilyn met on blind date which was set up by her cousin, Delores. Leo was the love of her life and together they enjoyed 66 years of marriage, before Leo's death in 2016. In 1977 they moved to St. Onge, South Dakota where they ranched for many years. They named their business, "Baker's LEMAR Angus" by combining their names, Leo and Marilyn (LE-MAR). Marilyn had the gift of hospitality and one of her important roles in the business was to provide a positive social atmosphere that included food and visiting with people who came to look over their cattle to purchase. She was a "people person" who always enjoyed kindness and a smile. She will be remembered for her love and support. She was always an encourager to her family. She enjoyed playing card games, especially Bridge. Marilyn was a member of the United Methodist Church and for the past six years she has enjoyed living at the Aspen Grove Assisted Living Center in Sturgis. She will be greatly missed.

Marilyn is survived by her son, Mike (Sandra) of St. Onge; granddaughter, Elizabeth (Derek) LeFebre of Greeley CO; 2 great grandsons, Elias and Sylvain; brother-in-law, Ronald (Carolyn) Baker of Moorhead, MN; cousins, and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Leo; son, Bobbie Scott Baker; granddaughter, Krista Baker; sister, Shirley Albright.

Leverington Funeral Home of the Northern Hills

Ruth Shoop 91



Ruth Glendoris Shoop, 91, of Spearfish, South Dakota died March 30, 2022 at home surrounded by her family.

She was born October 28, 1930 in Belle Fourche to William and Mable (Jennings) Thomas. She graduated from Belle Fourche High School.

Ruth married Ernie Shoop in 1949.

She babysat, worked at Dunwoody Jewelry, worked in the lunch room at the local school and owned and operated a ceramic shop.

Ruth was a member of the First Baptist Church where she served on several church boards, taught Sunday School and Bible School. She enjoyed sewing, crocheting, and gardening.

She is survived by her 3 daughters, June (Russ) Smith of Rapid City, SD; Diane (Larry) Barclay of Sheridan, WY; and Phyllis (Mike) Kilmer of Spearfish, SD; her son, Allen (Kathy) Shoop of Belle Fourche; and by 11 grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, William and Mabel Thomas; 3 brothers, William E. Thomas, Walter B. Thomas and Lester Thomas; a sister, Rose Thomas Wagner and her husband, Ernie Shoop.

Funeral services were held Monday, April 4 at the First Baptist Church in Belle Fourche with Pastor Tim Smith officiating. Inurnment followed at Black Hills National Cemetery near Sturgis.

An online guest book is available at klinefuneral-chapel.com



Eileen Garman 82



Eileen Garman, age 82 of Alzada MT, died Thursday, March 31, 2022 at the Belle Estate in Belle Fourche.

The funeral service will be held 10:30 AM Thursday, April 7, 2022 at the Christian Life Center in Belle Fourche, with Pastor Andy Anderson officiating. Visitation will be 5 to 7 PM Wednesday at Leverington Funeral Home of the Northern Hills in Belle Fourche. Interment will take place at 2pm at Moorcroft Cemetery, in Moorcroft WY.

Eileen's funeral service will be broadcasted live online, on her obituary page located on the funeral home's website: www.LeveringtonFH.com

Memorials are preferred to the St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

Eileen Esther Garman was born April 2, 1939, on the family farm about five miles North of Oelrichs, SD, the daughter of Harry and Ethel Harris Hartman. When Eileen was just a little kid, she would ask her grandma, "Where did I come from?" Grandma Harris would say, "Oh, the crows laid you on a stump and the sun hatched you out." When Eileen asked too many questions, Grandma Harris would say, "Why, the audacity of your curiosity! If I was your mother, I would spank your "boom-basity."

When Eileen was a couple of months old, her folks and brother Neil moved from Oelrichs to Keystone, SD. Her dad worked in a feldspar mine and Mount Rushmore was starting to be carved into the mountain during this time. Eileen would joke, "I'm not as old as the dirt, but I am almost as old as Mount Rushmore is." When Eileen was five years old her family moved back to the Oelrichs, SD area. At that time, baby sister Joyce was born completing the family. Eileen graduated from Oelrichs High School on May 16, 1956. She attended Chadron State College in Chadron, Nebraska for the next two years. Eileen taught for one year, (1959) at the school East of Chadron where she had done her student teaching. She then taught 3rd grade in Pine Ridge, SD for two years, (1960 & 1961). On June 2, 1961, Eileen married John R. Garman at an outdoor wedding at the base of Devil's Tower, Wyoming. They were married for 55 years at the time of John's passing in late January of 2016.

After they married, Eileen and John lived on a ranch four miles up Cabin Creek, North of Carlile, Wyoming. All five of the boys were born while living there. In 1969, they purchased a house in Gillette, WY where John taught Industrial Arts at Campbell County High School and Eileen taught Kindergarten in the basement of the Gillette house that they lived in from 1969-1973. It was a hard four years for the four boys

(Jason wasn't born yet) as they didn't adapt to city life very well. But at least the family got to spend some weeknights, weekends, and summers at the ranch in Carlile. In 1976, John and Eileen purchased a ranch ten miles north of Alzada, MT. In the Fall of 1978, they moved from the ranch at Carlile, WY to the ranch at Alzada, MT where they ranched raising both sheep and cattle as well as doing custom trucking on the side. The Alzada Ranch, located on the banks of the Little Missouri River, has been Eileen's home ever since until she moved to the Belle Estates on 3/1/2022. Eileen was always John's "right-hand man" around the ranch and she kept the ranch running while he was away trucking. She raised many bum lambs and calves throughout the years.


Eileen was a great cook and had a unique ability to keep meals warm and delicious for hours on end while waiting for John and the boys to complete tasks on the ranch. She was often helping outside herself. She was an active member of the Alzada Rangeland Ministries Church and the Albion 400 Women's Club. Eileen was preceded in death by her parents, Harry and Ethel Hartman; her husband, John R. Garman, brother-in-law, Dewayne Snider; sister & brother-in-law, Voreta and Harry Lee Garman; brother-in-law, Carl Reimer; sister & brother-in-law, Mary & Neal Garman; and sister & brother-in-law, Alice & Reynard Mills, 2 nephews Jerry Reimer, Ross Garman and great grandson Garrett Morrison.

Eileen is survived by her five sons: John E & Taina Garman, Buffalo, WY (children: Kurt & Stephanie Garman, Kevin & Wayne Morrison, Tanna & Andrew Parker, and J.L. & Mandy Garman); Shane & Jill Garman, Bainville, MT (children: Waylon, Shayla, Cleve, Fallon, & Farrah Garman); David Garman, Alzada, MT (children: Taran Garman, Trevor & Nicole Garman, Tiann and Tristan Garman); Ben & Lori Garman, Colony, WY (children: Chase & Brooke Garman); Jason and Ryan Garman, Alzada, MT (children: Dani, Tommy, & Cali Garman); brother, Neil and Esther Hartman, Morristown, TN; sister, Joyce Snider, Fairbanks, AK; and sister-in-law, Martha Reimer, Gillette, WY; 18 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Eileen was a humble, wonderful, Christian lady. She was a very loving, caring Mom, Grandmother, and a great neighbor and friend. She was always willing to give a helping hand and will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved her.

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Wesley Bisbee 73



Wesley Leroy Bisbee (Wes), age 73, of Belle Fourche SD, went to be with the Lord on Tuesday, March 22, 2022.

Wes was born in Freemont County Wyoming in 1948, to the late Jay Wesley and Claudean Faye (Maxey) Bisbee. He was the eldest of three children and is survived by both his sister, Sharon and his brother, Charles.

After graduating from high school in Santa Ana, California, Wes followed in his father's military footsteps (although choosing a different branch) and served his country in the United States Army with the 8th Cavalry 1st Cavalry Division. This service came with great sacrifice as he fought for his beloved country in the Vietnam War.

Wes received numerous awards and honors while serving the United States of America, to include; the National Defense Service Medal, Vietnam Service Medal, Vietnam Campaign Medal, 3 Purple Hearts, Combat Infantryman's Badge, and Marksman (Auto Rifle) Expert (Rifle). His time in the service wasn't a topic he spoke much of, but if you met Wes, you knew that he was a true American Patriot. His family is proud to have been led by a man with such honor and dignity.

After his military service, Wes spent most of his remaining working life with the Bureau of Land Management. He retired after nearly 25 years of service. He would then go on to do maintenance work for several local businesses before he was finally convinced it was time to relax and enjoy retirement. He then spent his time woodworking and building some amazing keepsakes for his family.

Wes is survived by the love of his life, Lola, who he married in 1984. He is also survived by his son, Rick; and daughters, LaDonna and Becky; grandchildren; Memphis, Allan, William, Taelor Mae, Taylor James, Damian, Lorenzo, and Eleena. They all will miss him every single day but know that he will forever be with them in every breath that they take.

We will honor Wes with services at the Black Hills National Cemetery on Friday, April 15, 2022 at 2:00 pm. With military honors provided by the Sturgis Volunteer Honor Guard and the SD National Guard Honor Guard. With a gathering to follow at the Sturgis VFW (868 Main St, Sturgis, SD).

All who would like to join us in honoring this loved Veteran are welcome.

Friends and family may sign his online guestbook and leave written condolences for the family at blackhillsfuneral-home.com.

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Isaiah 12:2 Surely God is my salvation; I will trust and not be afraid. The LORD, the LORD himself, is my strength and my defense ; he has become my salvation.□



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THE TRI-STATE PERFORMERS PRESENT

Mrs. Beasley's Wildlife Adventure

Mrs. Beasley's schoolkids are on a field trip to the Black Hills & learn about the remarkable critters there!

Friday, April 8 at 7 p.m.**Saturday, April 9 at 2 p.m.****\$2 per person or free with membership**

Please Note: Performance area is small . . . please arrive on time to not disrupt audience and actors. Thank you!



The Tri-State Museum & Visitor Center | 415 Fifth Ave in Belle Fourche

Tri-State Performers "Mrs. Beasley's Wildlife Adventure" Performs April 8 and 9

The Tri-State Performers, the museum theatre troupe of the Tri-State Museum and Visitor Center in Belle Fourche, will perform their spring play on Friday, April 8 at 7 p.m. and Saturday, April 9 at 2 p.m. at the museum and visitor center.

The play is a 35-minute comedy about an unusual schoolteacher, Mrs. Beasley, who takes her kids on a field trip to the Black Hills. What the kids don't know is that Mrs. Beasley can talk to animals there.

The play is a combination of live action and puppets and includes a cast of 18, including students from Belle Fourche and Spearfish, ranging in ages from

kindergarten to a high school senior.

"This play is entertaining, of course," says playwright and director Kristi Thielen, "but it also teaches audience members about the history of the Black Hills; about wildflowers and grasses and about the animals that make their homes there."

Admission to the play is \$2 per person or free with membership.

"Until we finally get our museum addition, we must perform in the center of our exhibit area," says Thielen. "Since this area has little space between audience and actors, we ask that audience members arrive on time so they can be seated before the

play begins. Late arrivals are a disruption to the audience and especially to young actors."

The Tri-State Performers were formed in 2016 and provide young actors a chance to do productions that also include historical or scientific content. Museum theatre is a part of programming throughout the country, in museums, planetariums, aquariums and botanical gardens.

For more information about the Tri-State Performers and upcoming productions, please call 605-723-1200. The Tri-State Museum and Visitor Center is located at 415 Fifth Avenue in Belle Fourche.

The Red Hats will meet at the Hideaway Cafe in Whitewood, SD on April 8, 2022 at 10:00 am. If a ride is needed, meet South of the Spearfish Perkins restaurant at 9:30 a.m.



Pastor's Perspective

This week's Pastor's Perspective is provided by Mike Reade, St. James Episcopal Church

LUKE 15: 1-3, 11b-32

"The Prodigal Son comes home after foolishly spending his share of the inheritance."



A man had two sons. The younger son after he became of age could not wait for his share of his father's property, so he asked for his portion. The father divided the property and a few days later the boy took off for parts unknown with his possessions.

When he went to a distant country, he foolishly spent his inheritance and ended up becoming needy. He was hired on as a pig feeder. He wished he had something to eat including even eating the husks that he was feeding to the pigs. Finally, the young man came to his senses and decided that he needed to repent.

Eventually, he went back downtrodden to his father. His father saw him coming and ran out to meet him, he was so overjoyed to see his son again that he called his servants and ordered a celebration, killing of the fatted calf, a robe, and a ring which shows status, for the return of his son.

But the father did not send a servant to tell his older son that his brother has returned, and they were going to rejoice and celebrate that the younger one came back from the dead.

The younger son repented for what he had done and told his father "He had sinned against heaven and against you. I no longer deserve to be called your son." The father said, "you have returned from the lost and are now found, I am thankful for that."

When the older son came in from the fields, he wanted to know what was going on why was there a celebration going on. The servant told him about his brother returning. He was very angry and would not go anywhere near the celebration. His father came out to plead with him to come in and share in the rejoicing that your brother has returned. The older son was still angry and said "he had slave for his father, did everything you told me to, and I didn't get even a goat to share with my friends. And now you are doing this for my brother."

The father said "My son, you were with me always and all I have is yours. It is only right that we show compassion and rejoice because your brother here was dead and has come to life, he was lost and is found."

The ending result is that you should show compassion and not resentment against family or friends when they have viciously mistreated you.

Obituaries contd.

Genee Somervold 68

Genee Jean Somervold, 68, of Belle Fourche died peacefully Wednesday morning, March 23, 2022. She chose hospice care and quality for the last 6 months of her earthly life. She shared so much love, joy and laughter with family and friends during her journey homeward.

Genee, the sweetheart Valentine baby, was born February 14, 1954 in Belle Fourche to Bonnie (Ginsbach) and Art Somervold. She shared an exciting childhood with her eight siblings, all whom graciously cared for her upon her move back to SD from MN last September when she had learned her cancer had returned. She desired to be close to her family for more memory making, which she did and did it well.

Graduating in 1972 from Belle Fourche High School, Genee enjoyed long time friendships with her classmates and made many close friends from Plainview MN where she lived the last 5 years. She attended BHSU where she studied wellness and physical fitness. At the age of 36, Genee proudly won a body building competition in 1991, against much younger women, additionally becoming a grandmother to her first two grandchildren only months later.

She loved the outdoors, gardening, camping, riding motorcycles and fishing. Socializing and having a great time with friends came naturally for Genee. She truly made friends wherever she went. A petite beauty with intricately tattooed full sleeves, she enjoyed fierce competition, and being agile and strong, she did not shy away from tough opponents, especially in racketball. Loved playing cards and especially liked the freedom she found in riding her motorcycle until only a year ago. She was an avid Green Bay Packer fan even before moving to Minnesota. Genee would often take on challenges others might shy away from and thus started her own cleaning business, No Fear Cleaning. She even hired some of her grand-daughters and worked along-side them, always striving to do the best for her clients. She took special care to make the most out of opportunities and could make any house, any place, a home. "Home is where the heart is," and Genee had a gift of creativity and hospitality making everyone feel free to be themselves with a nonjudgmental attitude of



gratitude by just being her good humored self.

Spontaneous and enjoyable to be around, Genee could easily bring smile, laughter, acceptance and love to all who met her. She grew to have a deep love for Jesus and enjoyed worshipping at Trinity Evangelical Church in Plainview, Minnesota and Open Bible Church in Belle Fourche. She loved her women bible studies and rarely missed a daily devotional on her phone app.

She loved her large family, sisters, SanDee Wright, Belle Fourche, Yolanda (& Doug) Graslie, Buffalo Wyo, Pamela Somervold, Hermosa, Patricia (& Mike) Collins, Gillette Wyo, Cindy (& Dan) Stover, Belle Fourche and her brothers, Buck (& Julie) Ginsbach, Newell, Bob (& Teresa) Somervold, Belle Fourche, and Art Somervold, Nisland.

Genee is happily reunited with her daughter Stacey (Crowley) Pierce, and her mother, Bonnie Ginsbach (Henry "Bud" Ginsbach) Three beautiful women our family will never forget and forever love.

Genee cherished her grandchildren, Pastor/Army Chaplain Darin (& Amanda) Kirkman, Roseburg Oregon, Shaunte Pierce, Belle Fourche, Ashley (& Cpt. Eric) Flynn, Midland Georgia, Tanisha Pierce, Belle Fourche, Rachel Kirkman, Columbus, Georgia, Mason Pierce, Belle Fourche, Sierra Wiener, Plainview Minnesota, Dausen Davis, Belle Fourche, Lily Crowley, Gillette Wyoming. She had also been blessed by 5 great grandchildren (all girls!), Kaydence (12), Nova (9), Peyton (7), Harper (7), and Monroe (9mo). Genee has left a wonderful legacy of love in the gentle wake of her life and will be deeply missed by her two surviving children, daughter, Shannon Crowley, Columbus, Georgia and son, Brandon Crowley, Gillette, Wyoming.

A Memorial Service was held Saturday, March 26, at 2:00 pm in the Memorial Building at Pine Slope Cemetery in Belle Fourche.

Family suggests memorials be sent to Chutes for Charity, PO Box 2014 Belle Fourche SD 57717, a local organization that monetarily supports families during life crisis.

An online guest book is available at klinefuneral-chapel.com



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BFHS Students Compete In Welding Competition

Jim Hartwell, Belle Fourche School District Welding and Plasma cam teacher announced the results of BF High school students at a recent welding competition at Mitchell Technical College.

70 of 80 students enrolled

participated.

Those competing for Belle were: Matthew Goodwin, Hunter Hanson, Ayseluna Hockenbary, Gunner Geib, and Izzabella Ramos.

Matthew Goodwin got 4th; Hunter Hanson got 25th;

Ayseluna Hockenbary got 31st; Gunner Geib got 37th; and Izzy Ramos got 47th in the competition.

The competition consisted of a written exam, visual weld inspection, and a tensile test.

Belle FFA Travels to Newell

Elijah Pomrenke
FFA Reporter

Wednesday March 23rd, the Belle Fourche FFA chapter traveled to Newell for the first career development competition this year.

The chapter had teams in many of the competitions including Natural Resources, Livestock Judging, Milk Quality, Food Science, Poultry Judging, Meats Evaluation, Ag Mechanics, and Agronomy. Results in each event came in and many of the competitors placed very highly in their respective competitions.

On the Natural Resource team Ariana Richter placed 5th; Livestock Evaluation team placed

5th with members including Radlie Williams, Bailey Moke, Rachel Lee, Joseph McLennan, and Gavin Pearson; Vet Science team placed 3rd overall, with Reese McKenna in 6th place and other members including Lainna Ruby, Atlee Olson, and Kord Colburn; Meats Evaluation placed 2nd as a team Carter McKenna was 6th, Trey Smeenk 7th, Cody Foos 9th, and other member Rance Bowden was on the team; Poultry Judging team placed 2nd, with members Gavin Lake 2nd, Soren Kopp 3rd, and Taya Kirstine 6th; The Ag Mechanics team placed 1st with members Jason Carr in 4th, Nels Lake 6th, and other member Kyle

Hendrickson on the team; In Agronomy the team got 1st with Morgan Mackaben 1st, Matthew Goodwin 2nd, Tucker Huges 6th, and Brenna Leithner was 10th;

The Food Science team placed first with members Elijah Pomrenke 2nd and other members including Izzabella Ramos, Olivia Furrow, Wyatt Lesmeister, and Bradley Rushton; Agronomy placed 1st as a team with members Nicole Kraft, Grace Clotten, Myha Franke, and Lexi Sheeler. Lastly, the milk quality team swept the top rankings in their competition getting 1st place overall with members Ava McLennan 1st, Lydia Main 2nd, Dustin Kolb 3rd, and Brooks Clooten in 4th. The Belle Fourche FFA Chapter will be attending the Sturgis career development event Wednesday March 30th, to hopefully continue success in their respective events.

Pictures of teams - poultry team, Agronomy, Ag Communication, Meats evaluation, Ag mechanics, Milk quality, and food science.



Regional Science Fair Participants

Monica Tabisz

Special to the Beacon
Belle Fourche Middle School Students Participate in Regional Science Fair.

The Belle Fourche Middle School sent twenty-six students to compete at the 2022 High Plains Regional Science & Engineering Fair hosted by the South Dakota School of Mines & Technology held on March 22, 2022.

In the Biological Sciences category, Jory Olson placed 1st in the seventh grade division with his project What is the best Protein Value Delivered to my Cows? and Clay Mackaben placed 4th with his project Does no-tilled or tilled soil absorb more water?

In the eighth grade division, Atlee Olson placed 2nd with her project How do Drones

affect the Behavior of Cattle and Denali Larson placed 4th with her project Which Method of Washing Your Hands is Most Effective?

In the Engineering category, Gabe Raba placed 3rd in the seventh grade division with his project Which Truss is Strongest.

In the eighth grade division, Tegan Fredricksen placed 3rd with his project How Does the Shape of Model Rocket Fins Affect Flight? and Kyle Hendrickson placed 5th with his project How does the design of a bridge affect its strength?

In the Social Sciences category, Taliyah Johnson placed 5th in the seventh grade division with her project How Long Does it Take a 7th Grader to Comprehend the Stroop Effect?

In the eighth grade division,

Kate Williamson received 1st place with her project How Do Different Breathing Techniques Affect Stress Level? and Trinity Hostetter placed 2nd with her project Are Subliminal Messages Effective?

Eighth grader Alexis Pickett received the Association of Women Geoscientists Award and the Environmental Protection Agency Award for her project Is radiation from the 1950's Nevada Test Site Fallout still prevalent in Western South Dakota Soil?

Other awards were given to Johnson who received an award from the American Psychological Association, Mackaben who received an award from Ricoh Americas Corporation, and Fredricksen who received the NASA South Dakota Space Grant Award.



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Tuesday, April 12th

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Wednesday, April 13th

BRONC Breakfast: French Toast Stick
Juice/Fruit/Milk
Lunch: Chicken Fajita or Hot Dog
Fruit/Veggie/Milk

Thursday, April 14th

BRONC Breakfast: Egg & Cheese Omelet
Juice/Fruit/Milk
Lunch: Pizza or BBQ Chicken Sandwich
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Broncs Compete at Douglas Early Bird

Saturday April 2 was the annual running of the Douglas Early Bird Track & Field meet at Patriot Field in Boxelder.

In the Boys 100 meters Aus-

tin Jewett ran 12.49 and Kord Colburn 13.07;

In the 200 meters: Aiden Giffin ran 22.60 and finished 3rd.; Kyren Nulle 25.72, 31

and Austin Jewett 25.85.

Harley Rivera ran the 800 meters in 2:22.28; and the 3200 meters in 11:22.41.

The 4x100 meter relay team of Kyren Nulle, Gabe Heck, Anthony Staley, Jayden Sechser ran 46.68; and team of Elijah Pomrenke, Gunnar Geib, Owyn Schreder, and Lucas Green were clocked at 55.61.

The 4x200 meter team of Harvey Walding, Kord Colburn, Carter Lyons, and Darian Pescika ran 1:48.97.

4x400 relay of Ethan Staley, Gabe Heck, Nic Lambert, Anthony Staley were 3:54.29.

Jayden Sechser finished 2nd in the Triple Jump going 40-06.50.

Lane Longbrake cleared 11-00.00 for a fifth place finish in the pole vault.

Ethan Jensen cleared 5-04.00 in the High jump and Harvey Walding went 4-10.00.

In the discuss Discus: Gunnar Geib threw 117-03; Lucas Green 83-07; Elijah Pomrenke 77-10; and Owyn Schreder 72-10.

In the Shot Put: Gunnar Geib marked 34-05.75 ; Elijah Pomrenke 27-05.00; and Daniel Krajewski 26-00.00.

On the girls side Mataya Ward finished 2nd in the Long Jump leaping 16-08.25 and 3rd in the Triple Jump going 33-08.25; plus a third place finish in the 200 Meter Run at 27.61.

Reese Larson went 14-01.50 and Isabelle Jackson 12-06.00 as well in the Long Jump;

and Reese Larson marked 28-02.75 in the triple jump for the Broncs.

Shelby Moke threw the discus 88-06; and Terlin Cazer had a toss 66-03.

Shelby Moke let the Lady Broncs in the shot throwing 22-05.00; and Alexa Swaney threw 20-03.00; and Joselyn Shockey 18-11.00.

4x100 relay team of Allison Jewett, Shelby Moke, Alexa Swaney, and Joselyn Shockey were timed in 1:02.29.

4x200 meter relay team of Hannah Kirksey, Olivia Nehl, Ayseluna Hockenbary, and Avery Cherveny ran 1:59.49;

4x400 meter relay team of Reese Larson, Victoria Brill, Lily Nore, Hannah Kirksey ran 4:46.19;

The 4x800 meter relay team of Lily Nore, Sarah Juelfs, McKenzie Lyons, Allison Hayes ran 11:32.36 and finished 4th.

Allison Hayes ran the 1600 meters in 6:26.84; and Natalia Biehl in 7:36.41;

Victoria Brill ran the 800 meters in 2:56.58 and Isabelle Jackson in 3:04.01;

Ayseluna Hockenbary ran the 400 meters in 1:09.33 and Sarah Juelfs 1:13.40 with Allison Jewett finishing in 1:20.75;

Baylee Clendening went the 200 meters 30.80 and Ayseluna Hockenbary in 30.97;

and Hannah Kirksey ran the 100 meters in 14.19; Hailey Rodriguez in 14.72, and Olivia Nehl 14.75.

The Broncs will be competing in the 2022 Queen City Classic beginning at 9:00 am Friday April 8 at Lyle Hare Stadium in Spearfish.

Then the Broncs will host the 21st Annual Center of the Nation Twilight meet at Lou Graslie Field on April 14th.



Shelby Moke throwing the discus. Laurie Ward photo



Avery Cherveny taking the handoff in the 4 x 200 relay. Laurie Ward photo



Nic Lambert running the open 800 meters. Laurie Ward photo



Hannah Kirksey handing off baton to Olivia Nehl in the 4 x 200 relay. Laurie Ward photo



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Jana Bastian, art teacher, said, "Last semester, we were able to gift high school teachers, para-professionals, administrators and custodians with candles for Christmas.

This semester, each art student and art club student has made candles. We still have materials for next school year.

We are grateful for the Lindskovs' generosity."



Jet Jensen, grandson of Margaret and Dennis Lindskov, is seen pouring candles. *Courtesy Photos*



Morgan Martin and Lynnea Brown show off their creations. *Courtesy Photos*

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Wednesday April 6	v. Douglas	4:15pm	5:00pm	6:00pm	7:00pm		
Saturday April 9	**v. Platte/Geddes**			12:30pm	1:30pm		
Saturday April 9	v. Rapid City Christian			4:30pm	5:30pm		
Sunday April 10	**v. Bennett County**	12:15pm	1:00pm	2:00pm	3:00pm		
Wednesday April 13	@ Sturgis Brown	4:15pm	5:00pm	6:00pm	7:00pm		
Monday April 18	**@ St. Thomas More**	3:00pm	4:00pm	5:00pm	6:00pm		
Tuesday April 19	@ Rapid City Stevens	4:30pm	5:00pm	6:30pm	7:30pm		
Friday April 22	v. Hot Springs	3:00pm	4:00pm	4:30pm	5:30pm		
Sunday April 24	**@ Gregory**			12p (CDT)	1p (CDT)		
Sunday April 24	** Winner/Colome** (@ Gregory)				3p (CDT)		
Wednesday April 27	v. **Lead/Deadwood**	4:00pm	5:00pm	6:00pm	7:00pm		
Thursday April 28	v. St. Thomas More	4:00pm	5:00pm	6:00pm	7:00pm		
Sunday May 1	**v. Chamberlain**	12:00pm	1:00pm	2:00pm	3:00pm		
Monday May 2	v. Lead/Deadwood JV	5:00pm	6:00pm			JV Reserve Game	
Wednesday May 4	@ Lead/Deadwood	4:15pm	5:00pm	6:00pm	7:00pm		
Monday May 9	v. Sturgis	4:00pm	5:00pm	6:00pm	7:00pm		
Wednesday May 11	v. Rapid City Stevens (Blue) (DH)	4:00pm	5:00pm			JV Reserve Game 1	
Sunday May 15	**@ Hot Springs**	1:00pm	2:00pm	3:00pm	4:00pm		
Tuesday May 17	**@ Rapid City Christian**	5:00pm	5:30pm	6:00pm	7:00pm		
Thursday May 19	@ Gillette Babe Ruth JV (DH)	5:00pm	5:30pm			JV Reserve Game 1	
Friday May 20	@ Spearfish Teener	5:00pm	6:00pm			JV Reserve Game	
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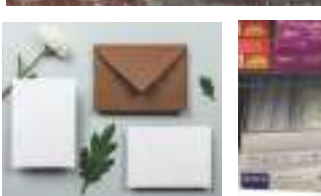
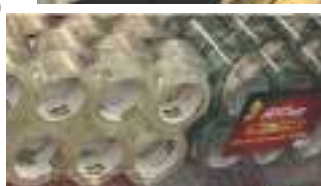
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4 PRIZE PACKAGES*:

Prize Package A: (\$1,814.77 VALUE)

- 21.7 cu ft Chest Freezer - Designs by Daphne Gallery, Belle Fourche
- 1/2 processed lamb - Kitzan Family Farms, Nisland
- Custom Built Rocket Stove - Mountain Man Metal Art, Belle Fourche
- 6 Gift Certificates - Perkins, Spearfish
- Free Gas Oil Change - Scott Peterson Motors, Belle Fourche
- Family Pass, 2 Blankets - Sturgis Motorcycle Museum & Hall of Fame, Sturgis

Prize Package B: (\$1,145.83 VALUE)

- New .22 Rifle - Tim Daniels, Wildwood Builders & Daniels Excavating, Belle Fourche
- 1 Brick Ammo - Buck Stop, Belle Fourche
- Tanned Sheep Pelt - Kitzan Family Farms, Nisland
- \$100 Gift Certificate - Mason's on 5th/Phillips 66, Belle Fourche
- Portable Weber Grill - Karl's Appliance, Spearfish
- \$50 Gift Certificate - Pete's Clothing/Hodge Bootery, Belle Fourche
- 2 Dry Cleaning Certificates - \$50, Belle Laundry & Dry Cleaning, Belle Fourche
- Free Gas Oil Change - Scott Peterson Motors, Belle Fourche
- Family Pass - Sturgis Motorcycle Museum & Hall of Fame, Sturgis

Prize Package C: (\$861.63 VALUE)

- 1 Night stay - The Lodge at Deadwood, Deadwood
- \$100 cash - Joe Dirt, Belle Fourche
- 5 Salt Cave Sessions - Black Hills Salt Cave & Spa, Spearfish
- 2 Dinners/Drinks/Desserts - Guadalajara Mexican Restaurant, Spearfish
- Oreck Halo Vacuum - Budget Appliance & Furniture, Belle Fourche
- 2.5 gal Wet/Dry Vac - Dakota Lumber
- Lg & Sm Tumblers - Bennett Main Gubbrud & Willert P.C., Belle Fourche
- 4 Lg, 1 topping Pizzas - Big D, Belle Fourche
- \$50 Gift Certificate - Cheyenne Crossing, Lead
- Family Pass - Sturgis Motorcycle Museum & Hall of Fame, Sturgis

Prize Package D: (\$888.63 VALUE)

- \$300 Gift Certificate - Lueder's, Belle Fourche
- 3 Burner Dyna-Glo Grill - Runnings, Belle Fourche
- \$25 Gift Card, 4 Bottles Wine, 2 Hats, Tumbler - Phillips 66, Exit 8, Spearfish
- Free Oil Change & Filter - Hersrud's, Belle Fourche
- 4 Meal Packages - Culver's, Spearfish
- 3 Family Videos - Safeway, Spearfish
- Family Pass - Sturgis Motorcycle Museum & Hall of Fame, Sturgis

PICNIC & DRAWING

Please join us for the drawing on June 4, 2022 at 10:30 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. in Rail Park on State Street in Belle Fourche. Picnic burgers, chips, and drink provided by Wildwood Builders, Daniels Excavating, and The Plumber.

All proceeds go to the Silver Lining Senior Center!

PURCHASE RAFFLE TICKETS AT:

The Senior Center
828 Kingsbury St., Belle Fourche
The Olive Branch
501 State St., Belle Fourche
The Office Emporium
612 State St., Belle Fourche
Designs by Daphne Gallery
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**Need not be present to win. Must be 18 years or older. Winners will be notified. Must claim prize within 24 hours. Prize pick-up: Designs by Daphne Gallery*

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April 17, 2022
Belle Fourche Community Hall
2 Service: 8:45 & 10:15 AM

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Cross Purpose Productions Presents

JUST ANOTHER DAY

A brief glimpse into the Passion Week from a Roman Soldier's perspective

Good Friday, April 15, 2022 - 7:00 p.m.

Summit Open Bible Fellowship
7th & Summit Sts., Belle Fourche, SD - 605-892-4389

April 8th & 9th
10:00 am to 3:00 pm*

Bake Sale

828 Kingsbury Street
Belle Fourche, SD

Short Chaps 4-H at Belle Silver Linings

Lynda Edwards
Special to the Beacon

It has been said, "You are never too old to learn something new". This was proven on March 11th when members, Karlie and Kate Kammerer, Kasey and Avery Dobesh, Jacey and Jake Nash, Taya, Lux, Ambree and Nash Kirstine, Jace and Westin Hiles, of the Short Chaps 4-H Club helped serve caramel rolls and coffee at Belle Silver Lining Senior Center.

After enjoying rolls, coffee, and lively conversation, a group of seniors and parents gathered to listen to the 4-H members give their presentations. The presentations were on a number of diverse

subjects. The audience responded with applause, questions, and a few chuckles.

Do you know what they call an egg that is laid without a shell? Do you know which rabbit makes the best house pet and how to litter box train them? Do you know how to tie a hitch knot and what it's used for? These and many other "inquiring-minds-want-to-know" questions were answered by this energetic group.

On behalf of myself and all the Silver Lining members, we want to thank this group for their service to our community and are wishing them success on all their endeavors in the following year.





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Cattle Report - Friday, April 1, 2022

Right At 1000 Hd Today
Weigh Ups Sold Fully SteadyNext Sale - April 8th - Feeder Cattle & Replacement Hfr Special - Selling All Classes - 9 AM
Thank You For Marketing With St Onge Livestock!

Bred Cows - Sold By The Head

Boylan, Robert, Newell SD.....	14.....	Bld., 4-5 Yr.....	1362	\$1,435.00
Log Cabin Ranch, Ismay MT.....	3.....	Blk., Broken.....	1528	\$1,200.00
Log Cabin Ranch, Ismay MT.....	11.....	Blk., S-Ss.....	1456	\$1,200.00
Log Cabin Ranch, Ismay MT.....	5.....	Blk., S-Ss.....	1449	\$1,175.00
Log Cabin Ranch, Ismay MT.....	18.....	Blk., 4-5 Yr.....	1379	\$1,400.00
Short Grass & Company, Belle Fourche SD.15.....	Bldd S-Ss.....	1536	\$1,225.00	
Short Grass & Company, Belle Fourche SD.6.....	Bldd S-Ss.....	1417	\$1,225.00	
Short Grass & Company, Belle Fourche SD.5.....	Blk., Broken.....	1523	\$1,200.00	
Short Grass & Company, Belle Fourche SD.28.....	Blk., 4-5 Yr.....	1291	\$1,425.00	

Weigh Up Cows

Baker, Robert, Buffalo Gap SD.....	3.....	Bldd Cow.....	1186.....	\$78.50
Baker, Robert, Buffalo Gap SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1205.....	\$70.00
Baker, Robert, Buffalo Gap SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1080.....	\$83.00
Barnaud, Bernard J & Laura M, Nisland SD.1.....	Char Cow.....	1550.....	\$71.00	
Battle Creek Cattle Co, Rapid City SD.....	2.....	Blk., Cow.....	1262.....	\$78.00
Bird, Jeff, Volborg MT.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1480.....	\$80.50
Bird, Ken, Volborg MT.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1675.....	\$80.50
Bird, Ken, Volborg MT.....	2.....	Blk., Cow.....	1485.....	\$80.50
Blair Bros LLC, Vale SD.....	5.....	Blk., Cow.....	1387.....	\$84.00
Blair Bros LLC, Vale SD.....	2.....	Blk., Cow.....	1117.....	\$84.50
Boylan, Robert, Newell SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1125.....	\$78.00
Bruch, Bruce, Sturgis SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1640.....	\$78.50
Bruch, Bruce, Sturgis SD.....	1.....	Blk., Hfrt.....	975.....	\$101.00
Burghduff, Gerald/Rebecca, Camp Crook SD 1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1710.....	\$80.00	
Burghduff, Gerald/Rebecca, Camp Crook SD 1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1200.....	\$78.50	
Burghduff, Gerald/Rebecca, Camp Crook SD 3.....	B/R, Cow.....	1533.....	\$81.50	
Burghduff, Gerald/Rebecca, Camp Crook SD 5.....	Char Cow.....	1623.....	\$78.50	
Burghduff, Gerald/Rebecca, Camp Crook SD 1.....	Char Cow.....	1445.....	\$78.00	
Burghduff, Gerald/Rebecca, Camp Crook SD 1.....	Char Cow.....	1035.....	\$96.00	
Burghduff, Gerald/Rebecca, Camp Crook SD 1.....	Red. Cow.....	1330.....	\$77.00	
Carter, Bryan, Piedmont SD.....	1.....	Cow.....	1175.....	\$78.50
Carter, Bryan, Piedmont SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1225.....	\$72.50
Carter, Bryan, Piedmont SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	920.....	\$91.00
Coleman, Ezra, Rozet WY.....	1.....	Red. Cow.....	1515.....	\$78.00
Conry, Cliff Or Cheyenne, Belle Fourche SD 1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1380.....	\$78.00	
Crago Land & Livestock, Belle Fourche SD.2.....	Bld., Hfrt.....	1022.....	\$111.00	
Crowser, Scott Or Carla, Whitewood SD.....	2.....	Blk., Hfrt.....	1370.....	\$78.50
Delbridge, Juanita, Union Center SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1355.....	\$80.00
Elliott, Lee Or Linda, Newcastle WY.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1510.....	\$80.00
Gaskill, Dan, Volborg MT.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1230.....	\$78.00
Gaskill, Dan, Volborg MT.....	3.....	Blk., Hfrt.....	1096.....	\$101.00
Geis, James R, Aladdin WY.....	2.....	Blk., Hfrt.....	942.....	\$112.00
Geis, James R, Aladdin WY.....	1.....	Herf Cow.....	1465.....	\$78.50
Geis, James R, Aladdin WY.....	1.....	Herf Cow.....	1135.....	\$78.00
Gilbert Cattle Co, Ludlow SD.....	2.....	Blk., Cow.....	1247.....	\$84.00
Gilbert Cattle Co, Ludlow SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1225.....	\$83.50
Gilbert Cattle Co, Ludlow SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1220.....	\$78.00
Gm Farm, Ekalaka MT.....	2.....	Red. Cow.....	1155.....	\$94.00
Goodvin, Terry, Hulet WY.....	1.....	Blk., Hfrt.....	1040.....	\$104.00
Grubl, Christopher, Sturgis SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1405.....	\$88.00
Grubl, Christopher, Sturgis SD.....	2.....	Blk., Cow.....	1257.....	\$78.50
Grubl, Christopher, Sturgis SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1115.....	\$83.00
Grubl, Christopher, Sturgis SD.....	1.....	Red. Cow.....	1355.....	\$83.00
H-C Feeders, Rozet WY.....	2.....	Blk., Cow.....	1415.....	\$85.50
Hutton Land & Livestock, Devils Tower WY.....	2.....	Red. Cow.....	1037.....	\$91.00
Jenkins, Dean Or Lori, Scranton ND.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1310.....	\$78.50
Jenkins, Dean Or Lori, Scranton ND.....	1.....	Bld., Cow.....	1535.....	\$82.50
Jenkins, Dean Or Lori, Scranton ND.....	2.....	Bld., Hfrt.....	1190.....	\$98.00
Jenkins, Dean Or Lori, Scranton ND.....	1.....	Bld., Hfrt.....	890.....	\$124.00
Jenkins, Dean Or Lori, Scranton ND.....	1.....	Herf Cow.....	1215.....	\$83.00
Jenkins, Dean Or Lori, Scranton ND.....	1.....	Rbld Cow.....	1725.....	\$80.00
Johnson, Jamie, Spearfish SD.....	1.....	Red. Cow.....	1205.....	\$76.50
Johnson, Troy, St Onge SD.....	14.....	Bldd Cow.....	1161.....	\$102.50
Johnson, Troy, St Onge SD.....	2.....	Blk., Cow.....	1542.....	\$84.00
Johnson, Troy, St Onge SD.....	6.....	Blk., Cow.....	1365.....	\$88.00
Johnson, Troy, St Onge SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1240.....	\$79.00
Johnson, Troy, St Onge SD.....	3.....	Blk., Cow.....	940.....	\$116.00
Johnson, Troy, St Onge SD.....	1.....	Red. Cow.....	1165.....	\$104.00
Kissack, Quent Or Wendy, Rozet WY.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1415.....	\$78.00
Kleven, Tim, Piedmont SD.....	1.....	Cow.....	1215.....	\$72.50
Kling, Kim, Belle Fourche SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1500.....	\$80.50
Klondike Ranch Limited Part, Buffalo WY.....	3.....	Blk., Hfrt.....	1073.....	\$101.00
Komes, Brandon, Sturgis SD.....	1.....	Bld., Cow.....	1110.....	\$77.50
Komes, Brandon, Sturgis SD.....	1.....	Bld., Cow.....	980.....	\$106.00
Komes, Brandon, Sturgis SD.....	1.....	Herf Cow.....	1295.....	\$78.50
Kudlock Ranch, Belle Fourche SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cwette.....	1415.....	\$83.50
Kudlock Ranch, Belle Fourche SD.....	2.....	Blk., Hfrt.....	777.....	\$102.00
Lewis, Dan, Rapid City SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1730.....	\$81.50
Lewis, Dan, Rapid City SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1575.....	\$84.00
Lewis, Dan, Rapid City SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1380.....	\$84.50

Lockwood, Ed, Volberg MT.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1715.....	\$80.50
Lockwood, Ed, Volberg MT.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1580.....	\$78.50
Lockwood, Ed, Volberg MT.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1280.....	\$80.50
Lockwood, Ed, Volberg MT.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1250.....	\$78.00
Lockwood, Ed, Volberg MT.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1170.....	\$100.00
Lockwood, Ed, Volberg MT.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1150.....	\$106.00
Log Cabin Ranch, Ismay MT.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1580.....	\$82.50
Log Cabin Ranch, Ismay MT.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1380.....	\$78.50
Log Cabin Ranch, Ismay MT.....	3.....	Blk., Cow.....	1078.....	\$80.50
Log Cabin Ranch, Ismay MT.....	5.....	Blk., Hfrt.....	916.....	\$117.00
McDonald Ranch Inc, Aladdin WY.....	2.....	Blk., Cow.....	1572.....	\$83.00
McDonald Ranch Inc, Aladdin WY.....	3.....	Blk., Cow.....	1371.....	\$84.00
McDonald Ranch Inc, Aladdin WY.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1260.....	\$86.50
McNenny Ranch Inc, Sturgis SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1315.....	\$83.50
McNenny Ranch Inc, Sturgis SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1250.....	\$101.00
Miller, Ty, Moorcroft WY.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1285.....	\$77.50
Miller, Ty, Moorcroft WY.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1085.....	\$81.00
Mills Cattle LLC, Volborg MT.....	1.....	Blk., Hfrt.....	1165.....	\$81.00
Mills Cattle LLC, Volborg MT.....	1.....	Blk., Hfrt.....	1105.....	\$94.00
Mills Cattle LLC, Volborg MT.....	4.....	Blk., Hfrt.....	995.....	\$111.00
Mills Cattle LLC, Volborg MT.....	1.....	Red. Hfrt.....	1195.....	\$85.50
Mills Cattle LLC, Volborg MT.....	2.....	Red. Hfrt.....	1082.....	\$87.50
Mooney, Dan & Allen & Janice, Gillette WY.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1415.....	\$80.00
Nixon, Reni, Alzada MT.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1180.....	\$66.00
Nixon, Reni, Alzada MT.....	2.....	Blk., Cow.....	942.....	\$90.00
Norman Ranch, Black Hawk SD.....	1.....	Bld., Cow.....	1165.....	\$84.00
Rasmussen, Kent, Rapid City SD.....	4.....	Blk., Hfrt.....	961.....	\$103.50
Rath, David, Newell SD.....	1.....	Blk., Hfrt.....	855.....	\$91.00
Redgate, Steve, Waynoka Ok].....	2.....	Blk., Cow.....	1682.....	\$80.50
Reichert, Marissa, New Underwood SD.....	1.....	Red. Cow.....	1650.....	\$80.00
Richards, Lonnie Or Kristy, Newell SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1150.....	\$76.00
Richards, Rick, Newell SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1055.....	\$77.00
Rocky Top Ranch, Rapid City SD.....	1.....	Othe Cow.....	1370.....	\$81.00
Rocky Top Ranch, Rapid City SD.....	1.....	Othe Cow.....	1275.....	\$82.50
Rourke, Michael Or Lynn, Gillette WY.....	2.....	Bldd Cow.....	1250.....	\$85.50
Rourke, Michael Or Lynn, Gillette WY.....	1.....	Bld., Cow.....	945.....	\$85.00
Ryan XZ Ranch LLC, Aladdin WY.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1470.....	\$78.00
Ryan XZ Ranch LLC, Aladdin WY.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1365.....	\$78.50
S & L Sheep Ranch Inc, Alzada MT.....	5.....	Blk., Cow.....	1551.....	\$84.00
S & L Sheep Ranch Inc, Alzada MT.....	2.....	Blk., Cow.....	1240.....	\$78.00
Schmidt, Clete Or Kristy, Belle Fourche SD.1.....	Blk., Hfrt.....	960.....	\$105.00	
Schuldies, Gerald, Spearfish SD.....	2.....	Bldd Cow.....	910.....	\$72.00
Seven Cross Ranch Inc, Sturgis SD.....	1.....	Rbld Hfrt.....	965.....	\$123.00
Shepperson, Bob J & Julie G, Upton WY.....	2.....	Blk., Cow.....	1242.....	\$79.00
Short Grass & Company, Belle Fourche SD.1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1470.....	\$81.00	
Short Grass & Company, Belle Fourche SD.1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1130.....	\$84.00	
Soelzer, Ronald L, Piedmont SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1310.....	\$78.50
Soelzer, Steven F, Piedmont SD.....	1.....	Bld., Cow.....	1850.....	\$77.00
Steffan, Charles, Belfield ND.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1325.....	\$78.50
Steffan, Charles, Belfield ND.....	8.....	Red. Cow.....	1310.....	\$84.50
Steffan, Charles, Belfield ND.....	1.....	Red. Cow.....	1245.....	\$101.00
Steffan, Charles, Belfield ND.....	1.....	Rbld Cow.....	1285.....	\$84.00
Tenold, Laura, Reva SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1285.....	\$71.00
Tenold, Peder J, Reva SD.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1175.....	\$77.50
Tenold, Venoy, Reva SD.....	1.....	Herf Cow.....	1250.....	\$78.50
Turkey Track Livestock, Douglas WY.....	2.....	Red. Cow.....	1322.....	\$78.00
Ward, Vern Or Laurie, Fruitdale SD.....	1.....	Bld., Cow.....	905.....	\$71.00
Williams, Zane, Hammond MT.....	3.....	Blk., Cow.....	1420.....	\$80.50
Williams, Zane, Hammond MT.....	1.....	Blk., Cow.....	1130.....	\$82.50
Williams, Zane, Hammond MT.....	1.....	Herf Cow.....	1345.....	\$78.00

Weigh Up Bulls

Todd, Nathan Or Chelsie, Upton WY.....	1.....	Bull.....	2215.....	\$105.00
Todd Family Llp, Upton WY.....	1.....	Blk., Bull.....	2280.....	\$105.00
Poss Ranch Inc, Vale SD.....	1.....	Blk., Bull.....	1980.....	\$105.50
Latham, Darwin Or Kay, Camp Crook SD.....	1.....	Blk., Bull.....	1890.....	\$92.50
Todd Family LLP, Upton WY.....	1.....	Blk., Bull.....	1870.....	\$105.50
Broken Bridge Livestock, Sturgis SD.....	4.....	Blk., Bull.....	1753.....	\$110.00
Paulsen, Mitch Or Mitchell, Custer SD.....	2.....	Blk., Bull.....	1737.....	\$83.50
Kammerer, Elliot, Piedmont SD.....	1.....	Blk., Bull.....	1670.....	\$103.50
Sinner, Jake Or Angie, Gillette WY.....	3.....	Blk., Bull.....	1661.....	\$104.50
Latham, Darwin Or Kay, Camp Crook SD.....	2.....	Blk., Bull.....	1632.....	\$81.00
Latham, Darwin Or Kay, Camp Crook SD.....	2.....	Blk., Bull.....	1632.....	\$93.50
Todd Family LLP, Upton WY.....	1.....	Blk., Bull.....	1585.....	\$105.50
Latham, Darwin Or Kay, Camp Crook SD.....	2.....	Blk., Bull.....	1522.....	\$100.00
Soelzer, Steven F, Piedmont SD.....	1.....	Blk., Bull.....	1510.....	\$103.50
Paulsen, Mitch Or Mitchell, Custer SD.....	2.....	Blk., Bull.....	1412.....	\$87.00
Barnaud, Francois, Newell SD.....	1.....	Blk., Bull.....	1360.....	\$97.50
Paulsen, Mitch Or Mitchell, Custer SD.....	1.....	Blk., Bull.....	1230.....	\$87.00
Poss Ranch Inc, Vale SD.....	1.....	Blk., Bull.....	1175.....	\$101.00
Latham, Darwin Or Kay, Camp Crook SD.....	1.....	Blk., Bull.....	985.....	\$105.00
Tenold, Venoy, Reva SD.....	1.....	Herf Bull.....	2335.....	\$101.50
Tenold, Peder J, Reva SD.....	1.....	Herf Bull.....	2225.....	\$102.00
Klondike Ranch Limited Part, Buffalo WY.....	2.....	Herf Bull.....	1712.....	\$104.00

Mark your calendars for the 2022 St Onge Livestock Consignment Machinery Auction, Sunday, April 24th

Deadline for Consignments to make the Sale Bill is Friday, April 1st
Contact Justin Tupper - 605-680-0259 - Doug Dietterle - 605-788-2963
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Sheep Report - Thursday, March 17, 2022

Mostly Slaughter Ewes In The Offering
They Sold \$10 To \$25 LowerNext Sale - April 7th- Regular Sale - 1 PM
Thank You For Your Business!

Feeder Lambs

Jacobs, Seth, Morrilstown SD.....30.. New Crop.....94... \$231.00

Bred Ewes - Sold By The Head

Vollman Ranches Inc, Douglas WY.....12.. Brkn.....140.. \$230.00

Slaughter Ewes

Storm, Scott, Meadow SD.....	6.....	K Ewe.....	177.....	\$98.00
Vollman Ranches Inc, Douglas WY.....	4.....	K Ewe.....	157.....	\$98.00
Nible, Kelley Or Abbey, Buffalo SD.....	5.....	K Ewe.....	139.....	\$98.00
Geis Brothers LLC, Gillette WY.....	24.....	K Ewe.....	138.....	\$98.00
Kling, Ed, Nisland SD.....	4.....	K Ewe.....	190.....	\$81.00
Farnsworth Livestock, Rigby ID.....	32.....	K Ewe.....	168.....	\$79.00
Ollila, David, Newell SD.....	5.....	K Ewe.....	221.....	\$76.00
Farnsworth Livestock, Rigby ID.....	37.....	K Ewe.....	146.....	\$73.00
Storm, Scott, Meadow SD.....	5.....	K Ewe.....	151.....	\$66.00
Vollman Ranches Inc, Douglas WY.....	25.....	K Ewe.....	134.....	\$66.00
Geis Brothers LLC, Gillette WY.....	18.....	K Ewe.....	108.....	\$66.00
Brown, Tim, Buffalo SD.....	13.....	K Ewe.....	169.....	\$92.00

NEWELL SHEEP YARDS

Thursday, April 7, 2022

Regular Sale 1:00 PM

2022 SHEEP SALES

April 14th - Regular Sale - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats

April 21st - Regular Sale - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats

April 28th - Regular Sale - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats

THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR BUSINESS!

Attention to all Sheep & Goat Producers, it is required that every Male & Female animal over the age of 12 months have a scrapies tag in place to sell. These tags can be obtained by the producer for FREE by calling 1-866-873-2824. If they come to the sale barn without being tagged, you will be charged \$2hd for our vet to do them. Please call us if you have any questions.

Friday, April 8, 2022



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The Good Stuff

by Jim Thompson



Radio host Jim Thompson takes motivational stories that listeners and readers send him and incorporates them into the a daily program he calls "The Good Stuff." It has been on the air for more than 10 years. The Beacon is honored to host the written version of some of Jim's classic episodes and we proudly present them here.

The Rules for Being Human



When you were born, you didn't come with an owner's manual; you have had to learn the rules the hard way. These rules are intended to help make your life easier.

You will receive a body. You may like it or hate it but it will be yours for the entire period this time around. You have chosen its shape on a deeper level; you can change it.

You will learn lessons. You are enrolled in a full-time informal school called life on planet Earth. Each day in this school you will have the opportunity to learn lessons. You may like the lessons, or think them irrelevant.

There are no mistakes, only lessons. Growth is a process of experimentation — trial and error. The so-called failed experiments are as much a part of the process as the experiment that ultimately "works."

A lesson is repeated until learned. It will be presented to you in various forms until you have learned it. When you've learned it, you can then go on to the next lessons. If you don't learn easy lessons, they become harder. You will know you've learned a lesson when your actions change.

Learning lessons does not end. There is no part of life that does not contain its lessons.

Every person, every incident is the universal teacher. If you are alive, there are lessons to be learned.

"There" is no better than "here." Nothing leads to happiness. When your "there" has become a "here" you will simply obtain another "there" that again looks better than "here."

Others are merely mirrors of you. You cannot love or hate something about another person unless it reflects to you something you love or hate in yourself.

What you create of your life is up to you. Life is like a movie; you may feel like a bit player, but you have the power to become a screen writer, casting director, producer, director. It's your movie. You have all the tools and resources you need; what you do with them is up to you. There are three kinds of people: those who make things happen, those who watch what happens, and those who wonder what happened. Notice that you do have the courage; take charge of your life. If you don't, someone else will.

Your answers lie inside you. All you need to do is look, listen, and trust. Then you'll realize that you are the spiritual being you've been seeking.

You will tend to forget all this.

So keep learning please. Jim T.

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Calving Season

Tis' the season!

Slim can get kind of cranky
'specially when things don't
go just right

Like when a first calf heifer
prolapses
And it's in a blizzard, in the
night

Or when some cattle fall
thru the ice

Into freezing cold icy water

If you don't get them out
and warmed up

They bloat like a new mar-
ried daughter!

Or maybe he finds his best
horse

Cut up by that darned
barbed wire

Or lightning strikes some
real nice hay
You lose it all to the fire

Calving seems to bring the
beast out

His wife can hardly stand
him

She and the preachers been
working

"Just look on the bright
side, Slim"

So Slim has been really
trying

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PRCA News

The inaugural Cowboy Channel Rookie Roundup presented by Resistol with a \$100,000 purse will take place April 29-30 in the historic Cowtown Coliseum.

Sanctioned by the PRCA, this new event will bring together the top 15 contenders from the 2022 Resistol Rookie Standings.

The Cowboy Channel will produce and broadcast the event. There will be a matinee performance each day beginning at 2 pm. (CT).

The first performance on April 29 will feature all 15 contestants in a single go-round of competition. The top eight contestants in each event will be brought back to compete in the semifinals on April 30 with the top four then advancing to the championship round that same performance.

Greg Dale Doering, a PRCA bullfighter and rodeo clown, passed away March 20. He was 70. Doering was someone who lived life to the fullest. He was always willing to do anything ever asked of him to do at a Rodeo Clown Reunion, regardless of his health or well-being. He loved entertaining kids and adults in the midway at numerous rodeos. He even set up his pickleball court for the Rodeo Clown Reunion last year at the ProRodeo Hall of Fame in Colorado Springs (Colo.).

WORLD STANDINGS		
AA: STETSON WRIGHT	\$184,371
BB: JESS POPE	\$94,429
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BARREL RACING STANDINGS			
2022 Unofficial standings as of March 30 For more information visit www.prca.com			
Rank	Name	Hometown	Money Won
1	Jordan Riggs	Tolar, TX	\$60,014.06
2	Hailey Kirsch	Cordilla, TX	\$62,100.73
3	Bethany Patti Tolson	Lampasas, TX	\$44,048.87
4	Betsy Winn	Chapman Ranch, TX	\$40,656.82
5	Wanda Johnson	Pawhuska, OK	\$38,520.00
6	Dana Kay Ruhl	Minco, OK	\$36,686.18
7	Russie Henry	Guthrie, TX	\$34,260.48
8	Ernie Charleston	Reids, MO	\$33,451.67
9	Cheyenne Wimberley (SD)	Stephenville, TX	\$29,228.42
10	Sherron McRayolds	La Luz, NM	\$27,620.81
11	Cassidy Champin	Pilot Point, TX	\$26,283.68
12	Nessa Riley	Hico, TX	\$24,491.07
13	Jessie Smith	McGee, TX	\$23,876.60
14	Bryanna Halapitok	Temple, MN	\$21,884.00
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“Calamity Jane” Oil

There are many articles and books on the subject of Calamity Jane but not paintings, at least that I’m aware. This is my version. Taking into account her penchant for drinking and wild behavior this portrayal focuses on an “imagined” moment. True or not, she definitely captured the imagination of the public and is forever an iconic figure. The Progressive Hall is a long-ago Deadwood haunt.

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KAREN ODELL

We are hoping that April showers bring May flowers to Capitol and Tie Creek. We’re glad for a little moisture this week in our area. On Thursday, it did everything. We had snow, rain sleet and maybe a little hail, and it all happened withing a half hour, but any of that was good.

Erma Albert had a chiropractor appointment in Buffalo on Wednesday, and that always helps her. On Friday, they both went to the Senior Citizen dinner, and Bobbie had a great meal. Erma stayed to play cards. The afternoon sped past so quick that Dick was wondering where she was. They went to church in Buffalo at the Catholic church. on Sunday. Then. they joined the Helmses. and Father Brian at Saloon Number Three for lunch.

Marlee Cordell went to church at the Methodist church in Camp Crook. on Sunday, and stayed for a short board meeting afterward.

Bruce and Lynn Gustafson had a little rain this week, too. They went to the Hills. on Thursday and did some errands. Then, on Sunday, they went to the Little Missouri Church for the service.

Doug and Julia Davis had about three-tenths of an inch of rain this week, too. They got their first heifer’s calf. On Monday, Doug went over to Dan’s to help with shearing, and of course, that was an all-day affair, but it reminds us that spring is on the way. Morgan Buck came out from Camp Crook to help Doug get some work done in preparation for calving. On Thursday, Julia had a physical therapy appointment in Buffalo, and she began work on her hand. It was not pleasant, but it always feels much better after the work is done. On Saturday, Doug went to bring home two portable calf shelters. They are sturdy, and framed with pipe. They are built to stack up, so he could bring two home in one trip. There is a pipe handle on the top, and he can lift them with the tractor, and move them in stormy weather. He also has fashioned his own wind-breaks that can hook to panels. Those wind-breaks can fasten to the calf shelter on each side, too, giving wind breaks for the cows and cover for the calves.

Ian and Jenna Flatgard are very, very busy with calving heifers. They are getting little sleep. Jenna was already acclimated to getting up at night with Marla, so she doesn’t mind

Capitol News

the three-in-the morning watch. Her brother, Joe Malecek, came to visit for the weekend, and gave them a little break and a rest. Joe’s dog had missed him, and he will take his dog back home with him when he goes. Marla is growing very fast, and already wanting to be on her feet. Even without walking she gets around all over the place. Jenna moved her chickens from the winter coup to the summer one, and hopes she has it well sealed to keep out the raccoons and other interested animals. It makes me wonder how chickens ever survived at all over the centuries. Everybody seems to like chicken.

Shirley Melum actually heard rain drumming on the house, this week. It was a short rain, and only a little moisture, but it was a good sound anyway. She and Junior are busy staying home. Ernie, Rachel and Tommy are busy with calving. The pasture is dotted with calves, now. They made a trip to the Hills for shopping, one day. Tommy and Rachel are looking forward to the last days of school. On Friday, their pastor and his family from Baker made a trip down for a visit, and they had good time showing them around.

Calving time is keeping the Paddens busy, too. Dawn and Dorothy got away on Saturday, to go to Baker for the basketball jamboree. There were many teams, from many towns, and the little fifth graders won enough games to continue on to the Sunday play-offs. Dorothy’s grandson, Easton and Lindsay Padden, came from Colorado Springs for the weekend, and they had a great visit with the family. Dawn went back to Baker for the Sunday basketball games, so we will find out next week, how the little girls did.

Last week Ronda Cordell kept busy with calving. On Wednesday, she had lunch with Clint Zolnoski’s family. Darby and Abby are quite entertained by watching the calves being born with the camera setup on their TV. They were especially excited that day, because one mama had two babies. That day, Ronda took a couple of hay samples to Fruit’s Service in Ekalaka for testing. She went to the Lloyd Moncur funeral in Camp Crook, last Saturday.

Last Sunday, Ronda Cordell met her daughter, Cristen and Jayda Westling at Alzada, to go to Billings.

Ronda had her oncologist appointment on Monday morning. She made it back home for the five o’clock news. Diane Wear had come on Sunday to stay with the dogs and help with calving, and she stayed until Tuesday. On a blustery Tuesday, Ronda went over to help Krista Huntley. The weather, that day,

kept Gene Secrest and Clint busy, moving calves in and out of the weather. They all moved cows from below the mailbox to the north side of the road, because open water can be a nasty place for new babies, and it was too far to keep watch on the calving. Thursday was a nicer day, so Ronda went to Ekalaka to meet, and discuss water rights, with Wayne Yost.

Charlie and Karen Odell have gotten their first calves of the season. One heifer was very confused and excited by the event, and another older cow wanted to mother her calf. The dog was out there having a fit, while the two cows were battling it out, but we finally got thing straightened around, and the heifer is a very good mother now. Charlie made a trip to Buffalo for cake on Thursday, and is hoping the grass will green up, so he won’t have to get any more until next fall. Karen and Charlie got to see their grandson, Carson Odell, in his special band concert. Students from some neighboring schools, got to play in the concert, together, and learn from two guest conductors. The concert turned out really nice and produced surprisingly good music for fifth and sixth graders. Jeff had watched his nephew on the internet, too, and Amanda discovered that one of the conductors had been her band director when she was in high school. Carson is using the French horn, now, and was the only French horn player in the fifth grade; with one more from another school in the sixth grade. YouTube videos of these school programs and sporting events is a real blessing. On Saturday, Karen and Charlie watched the SDSU women play for the NCAA championship and win. We discovered that their grandson, Kellan, had a track meet in Brookings at the same time as the NCAA championship, and the town was packed with people, when Cody was searching for a parking spot. The SDSU women were ahead the whole game, but the game was never boring, because of the spectacular play by those women. The teamwork was wonderful. On Sunday, Charlie and Karen went to church in Camp Crook, where Karen played for the hymns. Charlie did some work on taxes, and Karen did some yard work, and began revising the history books she has written for 1904 through 1936 in Sugar Creek Township. This will be her high school class’s 60th anniversary, and it seems just like yesterday. It would be fun to see them all.

They say that variety is the spice of life, but with thirty-two flavors of ice cream, I still always choose chocolate.



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April 16th, 2022 – 10:00 A.M.
Auction Held on Sight
Showing Date April 18th, 2022 – 1:00 to 5:00
AUCTION LOCATION: 1515 Mill St. Belle Fourche SD. Off from Highway 85 turn West at stop sign on National Street, first left after turn at stop light. Watch for signs.

SHOP TOOLS: Lincoln welder; Magna Force 5 hp. upright air compressor; acetylene cart & gauges; 2 ½ ton floor jack; table saw; grinder on stand; DeWalt side grinder; DeWalt battery operated grease gun; several assorted air tools; Power Mate air shears; ½” impact sockets; ¾” socket set; Craftsman router; Kawasaki generator; Makita mitre saw; battery charger; Skill saw; sanders; paint sprayer; C clamps; extractors; easy outs; jack stands; hammer drill; vise grips; drill bits; bar clamps; ring groove cleaner; air nailer set; screw drivers; bearing puller; welding helmet; pipe cutter; like new dust collector; auto manuals; assorted wrenches; assorted drills; bow saw; bars; shovels; aluminum folding ladder; electric wire; grinding disc; fiberglass step ladder; tool boxes; there will be several assorted items.

AMMUNITION & BOWS: Several boxes of 9mm Luger ammo; Winchester 30-06 ammo; Peters 300 ammo; 30-30 ammo; several shotgun shells; 2 crossbows, one Bear; bow; arrows; fishing poles, fishing tackle.

COLLECTABLES: Schwinn Chopper bicycle, Orange County Chopper Edition; 1982 Kawasaki KZ 400; 1971 Yamaha Enduro ATI, 125 cc Parts only.

MISC. ITEMS: Wringer washer; old sewing machine; lantern; Aims power convertor DC to AC; power inverter; assorted lumber; 20# propane bottle.

BOBCAT & TRAILERS: Gehl Model 4625 Bobcat; 8’ x 14’ gooseneck trailer; 5’ x 7’ pickup box trailer.

COMMENTS: There will be unadvertised items in this auction. Please plan to attend.

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320 ACRE REAL ESTATE LEASE AUCTION
April 23rd, 2022 – 11:00 A.M.
Auction Held on Sight
Showing Date April 18th, 2022 – 1:00 to 5:00
AUCTION LOCATION: Corner of 193 Street & Dunn Road, Vale SD; From Vale SD go East one mile to Dunn Road then 2 miles South. From Highway 79 turn East on 193rd. Street then 2 miles East. Watch for signs.

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Mark Mowry in US Senate Republican Primary Race

Spearfish: (by Mark Mowry) Mark Mowry has reached the qualifying number of signatures to be included in the U.S. Senate Republican primary election, June 7. This completes Step #1 of our ‘SD to DC’ campaign.

What’s the next step? I intend to do the same thing that I’ve been doing all along – talk to people everywhere about the absolute imperative to stand up and speak out at the grotesque mannerisms and abuses of politicians and regulatory powers in our federal system. I will continue to say that we can count on no one except ‘We the People’ to finally save this Republic from its enemies domestic and foreign, as I believe we are in ‘The Final Showdown’ for either maintaining a Constitutional Republic

or becoming a socialist regime. Finally, I believe that our battle will only be won as we call on the name of the LORD, the Covenant-Maker and Covenant-Keeper acknowledged in our brilliant U.S. Constitution. What should you do? You should decide where you are in this pitched battle for our nation’s destiny, then get involved. This is your nation, this is your legacy, these are your generations that are being affected by the roiling waters of anarchy and rebellion. I’m asking everyone to fight the fight for our democracy from your own street, porch, coffee shop. We certainly won’t win this primary trying to use the same procedures as our shrewd, financially advantaged competitors. As you are inclined, ask Holy

Spirit to show you your role in this primary election; after all, God loves this country far beyond any of us. We are simply protecting and upholding those hard-won, stubbornly-held freedoms bestowed upon us by those who have gone before us. It is my honor and privilege to have a part in holding the line for Faith, Family, and Freedom!

From A1 Albany Farms with three shifts around the clock with each of the three production lines. But Rogalla says they are making a few strategic decisions right now on how to get the operation up running in the most efficient manner.

“We can take a shortcut that will save approximately 2-3 months. But when we’re done with that we’d only be running at about 400 units a minute with one line,” Rogalla said. “If we wait until the other two lines arrive and arrange the plant floor with the three lines we can run at 1,100 units per minute and the efficiency just goes up.”

“If we start at the 400 rate we

really cannot then stop production to add lines.

The only option then would be to add production capacity with construction of another bay added onto the building and that adds another year. So, if we wait three months or so and we’ll be able to do the whole 1,100 program and then we’ll be fine until the flour mill is in construction,” he said.

“About the time that (the mill) is complete then we’ll really have the capacity to start the major construction that we planned here.”

There are a few subsystems that Rogalla says are still stuck with supply chain issues; such as boiler units, flour and oil handling systems. He says those

suppliers have some delays with purchasing components to fulfill orders.

“Like our gear pumps,” he says, “the manufacturer doesn’t know when they’re going to be able to ship, other than they’re saying we hope in another 12 to 14 weeks but we don’t know for sure.”

Rogalla says shipping has been a challenge since the Port of Los Angeles is not allowing containers to leave a 50-mile radius of Los Angeles without a \$4,500 per day rental fee. Because of that, the containers must be off loaded from ships and reloaded onto the semi-trailers for a \$10,000 journey to Belle Fourche. That has led to shipping delays.

Equipment to manufacture Albany Farms ramen noodle cups has arrived from Taiwan and is lined up against the south wall of the company's new production facility in Belle Fourche. Albany Farms expects delivery of equipment to create three cup production lines. Later, more components will arrive to create the ramen noodle pouches (or pillows). *Beacon Photo*

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125 years ago
 Belle Times
 March 27, 1897
John Pierce Returns
 John Pierce, the well known promoter, returned today from New York city; accompanied by William Lees, a capitalist from Manchester, England. The two gentlemen arrived on the Elkhorn and were met at Deadwood by Messrs. McAllen, Moody, Halloran and Wilson. They immediately drove to this city and will remain for several days. Mr. Lees comes to the Black Hills for the purpose of investigating the Lardner property, which is situated north of the Homestake. If the investigation proves satisfactory to Mr. Lees it is his intention to invest in the property. Mr. Pierce and Mr. Lees have been interested together for fifteen years in different investments and the latter gentleman has, besides the energy and progressiveness which is characteristic of John Pierce, unlimited means. Mr. Pierce says that the big mining deal in which a great number of mine owners in Lead are interested, is in very good shape. Mr. Lees comes to the Black Hills on an entirely different proposition. This is the mining deal that interests Belle Fourche. Mr. Pierce has stated since his return that the original idea of locating the mills at Belle Fourche will be carried out. There seems to be nothing in the way of an early termination of the deal and everything be clear for commencement of work at this place.

A Boom For Nashville
 Rev. Gardner of Nashville has been in the city for the past week, and in conversation with a TIMES reporter, stated that the prospects for Nashville were more than bright. The people of that vicinity have been working long and faithfully for a county organization, and at present a petition is being circulated asking for the organization of Harding county. Nashville, of course, is using every available means to be selected as county seat. It has a number of new business houses under consideration, and several new firms have recently arranged to go into business there.

100 years ago
 Belle Fourche Bee
 April 12 1922
May Use Ft. Meade
 Washington, D.C. April 10 – The Langley bill authorized an appropriation of \$17,000,000 for the construction of new hospital and out-patient dispensary facilities but had no provision for using any part of the funds for reconditioning and fitting up existing structures owned by the government. Congressman Wm. Williamson of South Dakota contended that all existing structures which were suitable for the purpose should be put into immediate use and succeeded in so amending the bill. Under the authority granted in this amendment it is expected that Fort Meade, South Dakota, one of the finest of its kind in the United States, will be taken over by the bureau and put to early use. This fort has at least eight fine brick and stone structures now available for the

purpose and as ample facilities for caring for one thousand to twelve hundred patients. While it has not been occupied by troops for more than ten years it has been kept in fine condition by the government.

Naturalization Day
 The next naturalization day to be held in Butte county will be on April 26th, when Judge McNenny of the Eighth circuit, and U.S. Attorney Greeley, of St. Paul, will be present. There will be six applicants who desire final papers. They are Paul Schmele and Herman Jaskals of Newell; Victor and Anne K. O. Mellows of Belle Fourche, and Joseph Rail of Arpan. Andrew Hjeivick of Nisland, the other applicant for final papers, died at Lead last week.

75 years ago
 Belle Fourche Bee
 April 10, 1947
Hot Pack Machine In Treating Polio Bought For County
 The Butte County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis has purchased a Hot Pack Machine to be used at the John Burns Memorial Hospital, Belle Fourche and the public is invited to stop in and inspect the machine. The Belle Fourche Lions Club had charge of the 1947 fund-raising campaign and its success made it possible to purchase this machine.

Four BF Students Take Examinations
 Marvin Sellers, Donald Cutts, Donald Johnson and Lorraine Naugle will take the final University of South Dakota Scholastic examination in Spearfish at two o'clock on April 21, having passed the examination given the class here with high standings.

Peace Officer Slayer Pays Death Penalty
 George Sitts, confessed slayer of Special Agent Tom Mathews who was shot to death by the former at the junction of US Highways 14 and 85 north of Spearfish, was electrocuted at the South Dakota penitentiary, Sioux Falls, at 12:15 Tuesday morning. Sitts, who was tried for the murder of Matthews, also killed Sheriff Dave Malcolm of Butte county at the same time. He had previously killed a Minneapolis liquor clerk, Erick Johansson, and at the time of slaying Matthews and Malcolm was an escaped convict from Minnesota.
New Diesel Engine Makes Test Run To City Yesterday
 Yesterday's incoming freight train came into Belle Fourche pulled by a new type of diesel locomotive power, which the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad Company is contemplating to place on its lines. Mr. Thomas states that the diesel engine which was sent up here yesterday is of 1500 horsepower, four-motor tractor super-heated type, capable of operation for both passenger and freight service on either light or heavy rail tracks.
Belle Fourche Reservoir Near Full Capacity Contained 154,750 Acre Feet at End of March – Only 15,000 Sort of Full Stage
 S. T. Larsen, Newell, super-



by Mary Buchholz

intendent of the Belle Fourche Irrigation project, reports that at the end of March the Belle Fourche reservoir was near full capacity stage. At that time there were 154,750 acre feet in storage, which was only 15,000 acre feet short of the full stage. During March, 5,000 acre feet entered the reservoir, the bulk of this water coming from Owl creek. The flow of the Belle Fourche river past the Diversion Dam during March was about normal for that month, and mounted to 49,515 acre feet. Concerning further activities on the project Mr. Larsen has this to say: "The project concrete pipe plant completed its operations for the season on March 6 after having operated since January 29. A total of 3,660 lineal feet of pipe was made, ranging in size from 10 inch to 24 inch in diameter. It is planned to install this pipe at various places on the project during the present season. As soon as weather and ground moisture conditions permit, it is planned to put the project maintenance crews to work at repairing old structures and installing new ones where needed for the coming irrigation season."

Slys Grocery Makes Store Improvements
 Slys grocery has recently completed extensive interior improvements to its store. The former office quarters to the rear of the store building have been considerably altered and enlarged, and new stock shelving put in at the back of the store. Eugene and Randolph Sly state that the new added shelving will give approximately one-third more room for display of goods.

50 years ago
 Belle Fourche Bee
 April 14, 1972
BFEA Honors Jane Countryman
 A plaque honoring Mrs. Jane Countryman, Belle Fourche city librarian with the first Friend of Education award of the Belle Fourche Education Association. Presentation was made this week to Mrs. Countryman by Kathryn Giacometto of the BFEA. The award recognizes Mrs. Countryman's services to school children of all ages in her position as city librarian. The citation read, in part, "No words can adequately describe the appreciation and thanks that the students feel for Jane. Her unique ability to become involved with youngsters from kindergarten thru college makes her the obvious choice for this year's award."

Hespe, Edwards Win City Council Posts
 Belle Fourche voters returned incumbents to office Tuesday in the annual city election. First ward residents re-elected Henry Hespe by a vote of 70 to 54 over Francis Walton. In the fourth ward, Odell Edwards edged Bob Dahlinger by 76 to 66 margin. As expected, with only two contests, the turn-out was light in yesterday's election with only 74 persons casting ballots – about 20% of the voters in each ward. Pete Krush will take over as police magistrate, replacing Homer Moncur, who decided not to seek re-election.

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“Building Main Street, not Wall Street” Want a More Vibrant Community? Bet on Small Business!

I read a comment on a Mahatma Gandhi once said, “The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others”. I would add this is very true of your local community. I read a report entitled, “Where Our Jobs Come From.” The author, Don Macke of the Center of Rural Entrepreneurship, made some observations every small or mid-sized community across the country should take to heart. Here are some numbers to think about:



by John Newby

our eggs in the basket of only courting large or medium manufacturing type businesses are going against great odds. That quest is fraught with a high percentage or dose of failure. There are over 10,000 communities across the country courting these larger businesses. The odds of success are between 1% and 2% on the high side. Those communities getting lucky in this courtship casino are usually advanced in their pursuit of infrastructure, quality of life building, and transforming their communities in other areas as well. For most, the odds are better to take the city coffers and invest in lottery tickets. Additionally, communities depending on this type of employer are setting themselves up to experience great loss when these businesses leave due to better offers, better tax incentives, offshoring, moving, or even shutdown.

The above numbers are price-less information to communities that understand and build future success on the reality of what is taking place in the economy. Don Macke also indicates over the next generation, between a third and half of all workers will be self-employed and/or part of this new gig economy which will be highly outsourced and entrepreneurial in nature. This was before COVID-19 which has only sped up this transition.

Knowing these statistics should determine how your community proceeds in building their infrastructure, downtowns, and commercial zones.

Imagine your community right now with a third or half of the workforce self-employed. How would you plan differently for the future knowing this today? Would you be subsidizing new commercial space such as malls or large developments which may become albatrosses of the future? Instead, would you be thinking about high-speed fiber, Wi-Fi locations, and smaller office suites? These could be entrepreneur or innovation suites where multiple businesses or the self-employed might be able to locate with minimal space needs sharing the essential office services needed. Forward thinking city leaders might consider providing financial or tax incentives for this up-and-coming workforce that drives them to your community.

The future is rapidly approaching. The signs of the current glut of big boxes, malls, and chains have been showing chinks in their armor for years. COVID-19 only accelerated these trends. Communities clinging to the traditional revitalization strategies are destined for a disappointing future. Communities fortunate to have large employers are blessed. Treat them well as this adds balance in your community. Communities seeking to find their way in this challenging economic climate, the numbers are over-whelming telling you small and medium sized business development is the path to take.

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BRED STOCK	HD	WT	BID	\$/HD
William & Andrea Clanton, Buffalo SD	26	Blk/Bwf-Brd Cow Sm	1465	79.00...1,157.65 \$
	7	Black-Brd Cow Sm	1484	79.00...1,172.58 \$
	25	Black-Brd Cow Bm	1443	79.00...1,139.65 \$
Terry & Laurie Goehring, Buffalo SD	9	Blk/Bwf-Brd Cow Sm	1527	1250.00
	6	Black-Brd Cow Bm	1505	1185.00
Charles Belch, Upton WY	10	Black-Brd Hfr	1040	1400.00
Clayton Phipps, Brusett MT	14	Black-Brd Hfr	925	1350.00
	8	Black-Brd Cow 3-4 Yo	1128	1400.00

COWS	HD	WT	BID	\$/HD
Chuck Steffan, Belfield ND	1	Black-Cow	1680	79.50...1,335.60 \$
	1	Rwf-Cow	1470	79.50...1,168.65 \$
	1	Red-Cow	1475	80.50...1,187.37 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1350	81.50...1,100.25 \$
	1	Herf-Cow	1450	81.00...1,174.50 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1550	78.50...1,216.75 \$
	1	Red-Cow	1335	81.00...1,081.35 \$
	1	Red-Cow	1625	79.00...1,283.75 \$
Jae & Suzanne Notti, Otter MT	1	Black-Hfrt	955	108.50...1,036.17 \$
	9	Blk/Bwf-Hfrt	948	115.50...1,095.32 \$
Travis Adam, Otter MT	1	Black-Hfrt	850	115.50...981.75 \$
S & L Sheep Ranch Inc, Alzada MT	1	Black-Cow	1495	82.00...1,225.90 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1325	79.00...1,046.75 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1460	78.50...1,146.10 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1295	78.50...1,016.57 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1380	79.00...1,090.20 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1655	81.00...1,340.55 \$
Capp Bros Ranch Llc, Nisland SD	1	Black-Hfrt	800	115.00...920.00 \$
Michael Pittman, Belle Fourche SD	1	Black-Hfrt	940	114.00...1,071.60 \$
Capp Bros Ranch Llc, Nisland SD	1	Black-Hfrt	1030	105.50...1,086.65 \$
Tim & Gayline Fortner, Broadus MT	1	Black-Cow	1585	83.00...1,315.55 \$
Emmons Cattle, Olive MT	1	Bwf-Cow	1345	81.00...1,089.45 \$
	1	Bwf-Cow	1335	78.50...1,047.97 \$
Tim & Gayline Fortner, Broadus MT	1	Xbrd-Cow	1455	77.00...1,120.35 \$
Charles Belch, Upton WY	7	Black-Hfrt	937	116.00...1,087.08 \$
969 Ranch, Broadus MT	1	Black-Cow	1200	77.00...924.00 \$
	1	Black-Hfrt	815	115.00...937.25 \$
	1	Black-Hfrt	1225	111.00...1,359.75 \$
Curt RaNdall, Broadus MT	1	Black-Hfrt	935	115.00...1,075.25 \$
Ray RaNdall, Broadus MT	1	Black-Hfrt	955	115.00...1,098.25 \$
William & ANDrea Clanton, Buffalo SD	1	Black-Cow	1545	81.00...1,251.45 \$
	3	Black-Cow	1367	80.50...1,100.16 \$
Darrell Groth, Aladdin WY	1	Black-Cow	1385	81.00...1,121.85 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1055	79.00...833.45 \$
	1	Bwf-Cowette	1310	98.00...1,283.80 \$
	1	Bwf-Cow	1290	81.00...1,044.90 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1330	78.00...1,037.40 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1260	81.00...1,020.60 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1190	81.00...963.90 \$
Homer Harrington, Ekalaka MT	1	Black-Cow	1300	83.00...1,079.00 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1450	78.50...1,138.25 \$
Dan Taylor, Sundance WY	1	Black-Cow	1230	82.50...1,014.75 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	950	95.00...902.50 \$
	2	Black-Cowette	1045	90.50...945.72 \$
James O. Donald, Hulett WY	1	Black-Cow	1210	82.50...998.25 \$
	3	Bwf-Cow	1513	82.50...1,248.50 \$
Chuck Steffan, Belfield ND	6	Rd/Blk-Hfrt	1106	105.00...1,161.12 \$
Tauck Stock, Hammond MT	1	Herf-Cow	1280	78.50...1,004.80 \$
	1	Herf-Hfrt	975	90.00...877.50 \$
	1	Herf-Hfrt	880	95.00...836.00 \$
	1	Herf-Cow	1285	79.00...1,015.15 \$
Sterling Holland, Belle Fourche SD	1	Red-Cow	1295	81.00...1,048.95 \$
Sams Livestock, Weston WY	1	Black-Hfrt	880	115.00...1,012.00 \$
Mickey & Lesley Sams, Weston WY	1	Black-Cow	1210	78.50...949.85 \$
Sams Livestock, Weston WY	2	Black-Hfrt	815	112.00...912.80 \$
Jeff Fenster, Gillette WY	1	Black-Cow	1275	78.00...994.50 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1375	80.50...1,106.87 \$
Jacob Fenster, Gillette WY	1	Black-Cow	1470	82.50...1,212.75 \$
Jeff Fenster	1	Black-Cow	1325	83.00...1,099.75 \$
Frederickson Ranch, Spearfish SD	1	Black-Cow	1415	78.50...1,110.77 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1185	85.00...1,007.25 \$
Consignment From SD	1	Black-Cow	1700	78.50...1,334.50 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1375	78.50...1,079.37 \$
Collins Ranch Llc, Biddle MT	3	Black-Hfrt	1045	102.00...1,065.90 \$
	3	Black-Cow	1398	82.00...1,146.63 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1170	85.00...994.50 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1390	80.50...1,118.95 \$
	1	Black-Hfrt	930	102.00...948.60 \$
Mike Pechta, Powderville MT	1	Roan-Cow	1660	80.50...1,336.30 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1325	82.00...1,086.50 \$
Bryn Brown, Buffalo SD	4	Char/Blk-Hfrt	1096	100.00...1,096.25 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1275	85.00...1,083.75 \$
6 Creeks Farm, Ekalaka MT	5	Black-Hfrt	1014	106.00...1,074.84 \$
	3	Black-Hfrt	1038	106.00...1,100.63 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	965	95.00...916.75 \$
Mark Scherman, Sentinel Butte ND	14	Black-Cow	1054	75.00...790.17 \$
	3	Black-Cow	1128	75.50...851.89 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1675	78.50...1,314.87 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1290	78.00...1,006.20 \$
William & ANDrea Clanton, Buffalo SD	3	Blk/Bwf-Hfrt	1022	106.00...1,082.96 \$
Ty Moncur, Belle Fourche SD	1	Black-Cow	1480	78.50...1,161.80 \$
Goehring/Router Inc, Buffalo SD	2	Black-Hfrt	1070	100.00...1,070.00 \$
	1	Bwf-Cow	1215	81.00...984.15 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1650	81.50...1,344.75 \$
Ryan Routier, Buffalo SD	2	Black-Hfrt	1013	106.00...1,073.25 \$
Bear Ridge Ranch, Spearfish SD	1	Herf-Cow	1395	77.50...1,081.12 \$

Patt Lynch, Newcastle WY	1	Black-Cow	1305	78.50...1,024.42 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1160	78.00...904.80 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	920	95.00...874.00 \$
Barney Long, Buffalo WY	3	Black-Hfrt	990	111.50...1,103.85 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1235	78.50...969.47 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1020	77.00...785.40 \$
Consignment From WY	2	Black-Cow	1458	81.50...1,187.86 \$
Clear Bent Bars Inc, Leiter WY	1	Red-Cow	1125	71.00...798.75 \$
	1	Red-Hfrt	1150	100.00...1,150.00 \$
	1	Red-Cow	1605	78.00...1,251.90 \$
	1	Red-Cow	1240	72.00...892.80 \$
Ken Knappe, Buffalo Gap SD	8	Black-Hfrt	903	115.00...1,037.87 \$
	1	Black-Hfrt	925	116.00...1,073.00 \$
Cave Hills Cattle Co, Buffalo SD	2	Black-Hfrt	1048	102.00...1,068.45 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1695	81.00...1,372.95 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1565	81.00...1,267.65 \$
	1	Red-Cow	1175	79.50...934.12 \$
Steven Schuldes, Nisland SD	4	Blk/Bwf-Cow	1384	79.00...1,093.16 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1040	81.00...1,068.40 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1165	77.50...902.87 \$
	1	Bwf-Cow	1130	78.50...887.05 \$
Ivn Cattle Co Llc, Newcastle WY	7	Black-Cow	1585	80.50...1,275.92 \$
Neal Mcozy, Belle Fourche SD	1	Bwf-Cow	1060	81.00...858.60 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1365	78.50...1,071.52 \$
Mecaha Cattle Co, Belle Fourche SD	3	Black-Hfrt	1025	105.00...1,076.25 \$
Travis Linch, Belle Fourche SD	1	Red-Cow	1885	80.50...1,517.42 \$
	1	Red-Cow	1285	86.00...1,105.10 \$
	1	Red-Hfrt	785	115.00...902.75 \$
John Ismay, Sturgis SD	1	Black-Cow	1065	81.00...862.65 \$
Jw & Joey Moore, Sundance WY	1	Black-Cow	1470	84.50...1,242.15 \$
	1	Bwf-Cowette	1195	84.50...1,009.77 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1130	78.00...881.40 \$
Darrell Ennen, Rapid City SD	1	Black-Cow	1415	78.50...1,110.77 \$
	1	Bwf-Cow	1705	78.00...1,329.90 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1255	78.50...985.17 \$
Neiman Cattle Co Llc, Alva WY	2	Black-Hfrt	1068	103.00...1,099.52 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	1125	81.00...911.25 \$
C&N Livestock Llc, Alva WY	1	Black-Cow	1360	80.50...1,094.80 \$
WeNdr Ranch Inc, Newell SD	1	Black-Hfrt	870	116.00...1,009.20 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1355	80.50...1,090.77 \$
Terry & Laurie Goehring, Buffalo SD	1	Black-Cow	1235	78.50...969.47 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1160	81.00...939.60 \$
Charles Belch, Upton WY	1	Black-Cow	1765	80.50...1,420.82 \$
Tyler Carroll, Fairburn SD	5	Blk/Bwf-Cowette	1132	85.00...962.20 \$
	3	Black-Cow	1340	78.50...1,051.90 \$
	1	Black-Hfrt	985	111.00...1,093.35 \$
J.J. Or Cathy Landa, Boyes MT	1	Bwf-Cow	1465	82.00...1,201.30 \$
Barbero Inc, Boyes MT	1	Black-Cow	1455	81.00...1,178.55 \$
Mike Simonitsch, Ekalaka MT	1	Black-Cow	1395	81.50...1,136.92 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	1245	86.00...1,070.70 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1565	82.00...1,283.30 \$
Clayton Phipps, Brusett MT	2	Black-Hfrt	818	115.00...940.12 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	995	86.00...855.70 \$
Pickrell Land & Cattle Co, Gillette WY	1	Red-Cow	1755	78.00...1,368.90 \$
	1	Red-Cow	1380	79.00...1,090.20 \$
Alan Martensen, Rozet WY	1	Red-Cowette	1245	85.00...1,058.25 \$
	4	Blk/Bwf-Cowette	1174	85.00...997.68 \$
Rafter Diamond Lip, Buffalo SD	9	Black-Cow	1335	80.00...1,068.00 \$
	3	Black-Cow	1357	79.00...1,071.76 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1220	81.00...988.20 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1485	80.50...1,195.42 \$
Tony Penner, Newell SD	1	Black-Cow	1570	83.00...1,303.10 \$
Shannon Wiggers, Newell SD	1	Black-Cow	1610	80.50...1,296.05 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1310	85.00...1,113.50 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1500	81.00...1,215.00 \$

BULLS	HD	WT	BID	\$/HD
Mike Simonitsch, Ekalaka MT	1	Black-Bull	2505	100.50...2,517.52 \$
Jerry Landa, Boyes MT	1	Black-Bull	1935	107.00...2,070.45 \$
Mccabe Ag Lip, Ekalaka MT	1	Black-Bull Df	1705	105.50...1,798.77 \$
	1	Black-Bull Df	1805	110.00...1,985.50 \$
	1	Black-Bull Df	1995	112.50...2,244.37 \$
	1	Black-Bull Df	1920	110.00...2,112.00 \$
Consignment From WY	1	Black-Bull	1865	87.00...1,622.55 \$
Patt Lynch, Newcastle WY	1	Black-Bull	1855	105.00...1,947.75 \$
Tom Sparks, Plevna MT	2	Herf-Bull Df	1855	102.00...1,892.10 \$
6 Creeks Farm, Ekalaka MT	1	Black-Bull	1635	105.50...1,724.92 \$
Frederickson Ranch, Spearfish SD	1	Black-Bull	1725	106.00...1,828.50 \$
	1	Herf-Bull	1685	104.00...1,752.40 \$
	1	Black-Bull	1650	105.50...1,740.75 \$
Jodi Pierson, Brusett MT	1	Black-Bull	1395	104.50...1,457.77 \$
Kurt Kling, Belle Fourche SD	1	Black-Bull	2075	100.00...2,075.00 \$
Dean Or Lori Jenkins, Scranton ND	1	Black-Bull	1925	105.50...2,030.87 \$
	3	Rd/Blk-Bull	1913	103.00...1,970.73 \$
	1	Black-Bull	2185	102.00...2,228.70 \$
	1	Black-Bull	1865	103.50...1,930.27 \$
Owen Rumph, Biddle MT	1	Black-Bull	2185	110.50...2,414.42 \$
	1	Black-Bull	1790	105.50...1,888.45 \$
Poppe Livestock, Plevna MT	1	Black-Bull	1295	96.00...1,243.20 \$

BABy CALVES	HD	WT	BID
Darrell Ennen, Rapid City SD	2	Blk/Bwf-Baby Calf	95...425.00
	2	Blk/Bwf-Baby Calf	118...400.00

FEEDER CATTLE, BRED STOCK & PAIR SPECIAL & BAR 69 ANGUS RANCH BULL SALE

APRIL 7, 2022

SALES TIMES

WEIGH UPS- 9:00 AM

BRED STOCK & PAIRS- 11:00 AM

BAR 69 ANGUS RANCH BULL SALE W/ FEEDER CATTLE TO FOLLOW- 12:00 PM

FEEDER CATTLE

KP Stevens-MT

235 blk mxd clvs

775-850#

PC, BV, NI, poured

Schultz Ranch-MT

125 blk mxd clvs

550#

BV, PC, NI, poured, hay fed

Stackrock Inc-MT

120 blk mxd clvs

450-550#

AN

Schelldorf Ranch-WY

75 hereford hfrs

550-650#

BV, PC, NI, poured

Capp Bros-SD

75 blk mxd clvs

600-650#

BV, PC, NI, poured

Grant Paulson-ND

60 blk mxd fall clvs

400-500#

PC, NI, poured

Scott Shoun-SD

50 blk hfrs

625#

BV, PC, NI

Six Ess Ranch-MT

50 blk hfrs

600#

BV, PC, NI, poured

George & Jean Etchemendy-WY

50 blk hfrs

500-600#

HR, spayed

Clabaugh Cattle Co-WY

44 red mxd clvs

750-900#

BV, NI, PC

Steve Sorenson-WY

40 blk mxd clvs

600#

PC, NI, poured

Don & Tyler Hett-SD

19 blk hfrs

580-625#

PC, BV

Ellen Beach-MT

15 xbred mxd clvs

700#

NI, 3 rounds of shots

BRED STOCK

Dale Kreutz-SD

40 blk SM cows

bred blk, calving now, 45 days

KUKUCHKA'S 34TH ANNUAL BAR 69 ANGUS PRODUCTION SALE

Changes to Newell Water and Sanitary Sewer System

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NEWELL-Two Resolutions were passed this week concerning the Newell water and sewer systems. The commissioners met in a special meeting Monday evening to discuss and pass the resolutions that will lead to improvements to the municipal water system that will include extensive water main replacement, installation of a new water main, construction of a new water booster station, and related water system improvements and appurtenances.

The sanitary sewer system will include installation of new sanitary sewer main and new force main, replacement of existing sanitary sewer main, construction of a new sewer lift station, and related improvements and appurtenances.

The Town will apply for financial assistance in the amount of \$1,142,000 for the water system project and \$709,000 to the South Dakota Board of Water and Natural Resources for the sewer project.

Resolutions 03-2022 and 04-2022 can be viewed on the town's website at townofnewell.org, under the heading for town government.

The next regular commissioner meeting will be April 11, 2022 at 6 p.m. in the City Hall .

NICC holds spring community dinner



The Darryl Gaylor family were guests at the Spring Fling dinner at NICC on Friday. They won a couple of door prizes and enjoyed their time. - Brunner photo

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NISLAND – In a regular yearly tradition, the Nisland Independent Community Church held their annual spring community dinner on Friday, April 1. There were a few April Fool's pranks, great food and fellowship and awesome music provided by Black Hills State University's Honeycomb Brass. Clay Conry, pastor of Prairie Home Bible Church, spoke.

Over 90 people made their way to the church for the 6 p.m. dinner of pork tenderloin, cheesy potatoes and fruit salad. Desserts were a variety of cakes provided by the women's ministry members. During dinner, which was free and by invitation, door prizes of

prank gifts were handed out. They included pop-up 'snakes' in a can of nuts, the original 'selfie' which was a box with a mirror inside and bacon-themed band-aids. The table centerpieces of spring flowers and garden stakes were also given away. Darryl Gaylor of Newell, painted some rocks and hid them around the church, so the kids headed out immediately after the service to hunt them down.

Following the dinner, the group moved from the fellowship hall to the sanctuary where Honeycomb Brass provided about 30 minutes of entertainment including songs from the past, present and even some classical music pieces. Honeycomb Brass is available for all types of events. You can contact the director at Skye.VanD

NICC Dinner C2

Locals Lose Substantial Amount of Hay

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NEWELL – The Newell fire department was called at 11:30 last Saturday night, March 26 to a hay bale fire east of town.

"We had people there from about 11:30 Saturday night to 9 p.m. Sunday night before we could be sure it was out," said Newell Chief Verl Tiftt.

Newell had four trucks almost immediately on scene and called Nisland/Arpan for mutual aid. They brought an additional truck and a tender. Tift said that the cause of the fire was undetermined but he assumed based on the circumstances that it was internal combustion. This is not the first instance of that in the area that different departments have responded to. A fire at a local feedlot this past year was caused by internal combustion. Tift said it takes a lot of water and a long period of careful watch to determine when a fire caused in this way can be concluded.

As it is, the landowner lost around 125 bales of hay and



Ross and Darryl Gaylor, Newell volunteer firefighters work to pull blazing hay bales apart so they can burn out instead of smolder inside. - Gaylor photo

100 ton of distillers' grain which they used in their feedlot situation.

“The distillers’ grain was in a pile with bales surrounding it and was covered by a tarp,” said Tiffet. That made for a highly combustible situation, even though distillers’ grain is not highly combustible.

The local departments, includ-

ing Newell, Nisland, Vale and Castle Rock have had numerous calls recently with the ongoing drought. And the crews are all volunteer so that also makes it difficult when they are not sure who will actually be available to respond in a given situation. “We’re always looking for new

FIRE C2

NHS Spring Play C4



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<p>Rhodes Dinner or Texas Rolls 24-36 Ct. Selected Varieties</p> <p>\$3⁹⁹</p>	<p>Best Choice Hashbrowns 30-32 Oz. Shredded or Southern Style</p> <p>2/\$4</p>	<p>Kellogg's Eggo Waffles 10 Ct. Selected Varieties</p> <p>2/\$5</p>	<p>Best Choice Whipped Topping 8 Oz. Selected Varieties</p> <p>99¢</p>	<p>Bird's Eye Steamfresh Broccoli Florets 10.8 Oz.</p> <p>2/\$4</p>	<p>Best Choice Whipped Topping 6.5 Oz. Original or Extra Creamy</p> <p>\$2²⁹</p>





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Live Acoustic Concert featuring "Tris Munsick" - Friday April 8th
105 S Dartmouth Ave Newell, SD (Highway 79) (605) 456-3333


Newell Community Club Presents

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The Ace



Purchase your ticket for  from any Community Club Member
or at Newell Area Businesses. Proceeds go to the
Newell Rodeo Arena Grandstand Fund.

Tuesday night: 7:00 pm Drawing at the Newell Bar.

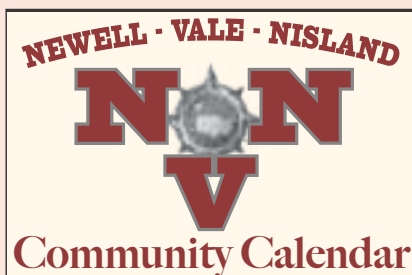
One name from the tickets sold each week will be drawn. That person will win 10% of the week's ticket sales and draw 1 card from the deck. If they find the **Ace of Hearts**  they will split the jackpot 50/50 with the Newell Community Club.

If they find another card, the game continues next week as the Jackpot grows with ticket sales. **Other Aces will pay \$100 and Jokers are \$25.**

The Deck is reduced by 1 card increasing your chance to find the **Ace of Hearts.**

Tickets can be purchased on line @ newellcommunityclub.com

Must be 18 years or older to participate. Must be a South Dakota resident.



If you have events for the calendar, please contact Colleen Brunner at colleenbrunner@gmail.com.

Newell School District is looking for a K-12 vocal/band teacher. If you are interested, please fill out the job application below by Wednesday March 9th. Applications can be dropped off at the school or emailed to andrew.fergen@k12.sd.us. https://core-docs.s3.amazonaws.com/documents/asset/uploaded_file/211114/Employment_application.pdf

Apr. 7: Newell Library Open House, 11 a.m.

Apr. 8: Friday, 8 p.m., Tris Munsick Acoustic Concert @ High Plains Restaurant and Bar

Apr. 9: Newell Prom- The Newell Junior Class presents Prom 2022 Shining in Luxury on April 9th. Tickets are \$8.00 for singles and \$15.00 for couples. Tickets are available now through April 6th in Mrs. Carrier's room. Out-of-town dates must register in the high school office by April 4th. Grand March 7:00 pm in Austin Auditorium.

Apr. 9: Vale Community Country Church Easter Egg Hunt & Bake Sale @ 1 p.m.

Apr. 10: Former Newell pastor Sean Carney will be speaking at the Nisland Independent Community Church at 10:45 a.m. The church will also be holding an Easter Extravaganza for all youth K-5th grade (older pre-teens/teens will be helpers) at 9 a.m. that morning. Come and join the fun.

Apr. 11: School board meeting at 6 p.m. at MPR. City commission meeting at 6 p.m. at admin offices.

Apr. 12: Nisland/Arpan Fire Dept. Monthly meeting, 7 pm. At the fire hall.

Apr. 13: Vale Community Club bingo begins. 7 p.m. at the hall in Vale.; Storytime with Miss Patti at Newell Library, 11 a.m.

Apr. 14: Community Easter Celebration-Holy Thursday, 6 p.m. pot luck, 6:30 program. Contact Sabrina Harmon for more details or to help at 605-381-9136.

Apr. 15: Good Friday service at Nisland Independent Community church at 7 p.m. 402 Olin, Nisland. Northern Hills Connections Women's meeting reservations due, RSVP to 605-645-7601 or 605-722-5307 or email maridel.sprenger@yahoo.com. Meeting is 4/19 at 1st Presbyterian in Sturgis. (see below)

Apr. 16: 10 a.m. at the Newell school football field-Newell Community Club Easter Egg Hunt!

Apr. 17: EASTER SUNDAY, Beau Bendigo, local area rancher, will be sharing at the Nisland Independent Community Church at 11 a.m. 402 Olin, Nisland. The church will also be hosting a FREE Easter breakfast at 9:30 a.m.

Apr. 17: Vale Community Country Church Easter Service @ 10:30 a.m. with brunch to follow.

Apr. 19: Northern Hills Connection, 12 noon. 1st Presbyterian Church, 1319 Junction, Sturgis. Special feature-Rose Boutique of Belle Fourche, Speaker-Karen Barton of Buffalo and Music-Shiloh Hewitt of Mud Butte.

Apr. 22: FREE family movie night at Nisland Independent Church, 402 Olin, Nisland. 6 p.m. Nachos and popcorn and the movie "Prince of Egypt." Come join the fun.

Apr. 30-Vale Craft Fair, 9 a.m. at the Vale Country Church.



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Following the entertainment, Conry shared briefly. "Some people do a better job of pretending that God is not in control than others," said the pastor. He marked three points that declare how man thinks he has the reins, when in reality God has made the plans. "The first is a mirror," said Conry. Conry said man thinks he is looking at himself, when he is really looking at an image of God. He referenced Genesis 1:27. The second point he made was how the heavens declare God's glory. He talked about the recent Aurora Borealis displays to reinforce that point as well as citing scripture in Psalm 119 and Romans 1:20. Conry said that God will give man up to his own evil desires. God doesn't force anyone. "Our culture looks at those (believers) who try to separate themselves from evil as crazy," said Conry. "But we can't help but worship something." He said if we don't worship God, we will worship something else. "Jesus passed the test so we could be saved," he shared. He told those gathered that if you know (understand what Christ did by going to the cross), believe (that He died for the sins of all and was resurrected on the third day) and trust Jesus to save, He will do that.



Honeycomb Brass, a five-piece brass ensemble from Black Hills State University performed for the annual Nisland Independent Community Church community dinner on Friday, April 1 at Nisland. From left: Amber Dubbelde, trumpet, Dr. Skye van Duuren, Ashton Legerski, Brooke Parette and Layton Stenkamp. - Courtesy photo



Someone got to the party at Nisland Church on Friday early and hid some painted rocks. The kids had fun finding them after the dinner. If you find a rock at the church or anywhere else in Butte County you can post a photo of yourself with the rock on the Butte County SD Rocks Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/466192165188913> - Brunner photo

From C1
FIRE

(firefighters) and especially younger ones," said Tift.

These two departments have a number of fire fighters on their rosters but many are not available during the day as they work away from the area. That puts a heavy load on those who are local. Business owners are very agreeable when it comes to letting fighters like Tift, who works for the town of Newell, letting them drop everything and run to the scene.

With nearly 24 hours on the most recent fire scene, local fire fighters have either stayed the entire time or worked in shifts, if possible, for the safety of those who are in need.

If you have ever thought of volunteering your time in the local community, you can contact any of the four eastern Butte County departments for more information. You can also call Emergency Manager Fred Lamphere at the Butte County Courthouse to get hooked up with a local crew.



Two Newell volunteer fire fighters work to spread hay from around 125 bales which caught fire last weekend. It took from 11:30 Saturday to 9 p.m. Sunday to fully extinguish the blaze. - Gaylor photo

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Monday was such a beautiful day that I was able to wash some laundry and dry it on the clothesline without the wind blowing it off. I rode to Buffalo with Henry and Linda Mohagen for the suicide prevention meeting and supper at the REC Center Monday evening. Some people came from hundreds of miles away to attend the meeting. John Odea from Nebraska gave a good speech about how he had planned to commit suicide and a phone call from a friend of his at that very minute stopped John from carrying through on his plan. If you suspect that someone might be considering suicide, talking to them might save their life too.

We got some rain this week, .05 hundredths on Tuesday, .01 hundredths on Wednesday, .02 hundredths on Friday and .09 hundredths Sunday morning for a grand total of .17 hundredths of much needed moisture. It wasn't much, but every drop



counts!

Reub and I went to Hettinger on Wednesday to get some stuff from Runnings and to drop off things at the Clothes Closet for Missy and me. We stopped for coffee at the senior center in Reeder on the way home and had some good visits.

We didn't stay as long as usual because I was going to serve supper for the Lenten service at the church that evening. Linda Mohagen had taught the fifth grade in Buffalo that day for Mackenzie Oster and she brought us a bunch of thank-you cards the students sent to us for delivering the Gideon Bibles to them last week. Amanda and the kids went to Buffalo that day to get oil changed on her car.

Taz got home from the rodeo in San Angelo, Texas and he and Missy met up with Bill Erickson on Thursday to pick up a new black and white guard dog they got from him. I spent the day cooking beef to feed the sheep shearers on Friday

and Reub and I went to our east place to bring back a table to we would have more room for the shearers and all the help to eat at the shop.

Loren Opstedahl and his crew came to shear the sheep on Friday. Sage and his kids; Matt and Lanie and their kids; and three of the Harding County wrestlers, Clancy Adolph, Lincoln Wickstrom, and Cash Hanson also came to help with the shearing. Reub is still going through old pictures and found a bunch to send home with Sage and Lanie. Loren's crew went to Ludlow on Saturday to shear Randy Feist's sheep.

Jerome "Jerry" Smyle, 82, of Scranton, passed away on Sunday, March 27, at the Fallon County Medical Complex in Baker, Montana. Mass of Christian Burial was Friday, April 1, at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Scranton with burial in the Sacred Heart Catholic Cemetery in Scranton. We had to miss Jerry's funeral because we were shearing, but really wished we could have gone to it. Louise Jenson came down to help with the shearing later that

afternoon after the funeral and said there were a lot of people there to bid goodbye to Jerry.

Saturday was a beautiful warm day with no wind. We didn't need jackets outside all day! Jamie Thybo finished doing our taxes so we went down to the Bar H to get them that afternoon. Since we were close to Reva we went to the Reva Store to get some of that delicious ice cream they have. Reub had some more pictures to give to Pete and Laura Tenold and they were at the store watching the SDSU basketball game with a bunch of the neighbors. We were all tickled when SDSU won the game!

There were a couple birthday parties this weekend. Amanda, Taz and the kids went up to Ralph Saturday evening to join a bunch of relatives to help Jace and Kami Jenson's little boy Keen celebrate his first birthday. Bev and Iver Heier and Amanda and Eric Schuchard missed church Sunday morning because they went to Lodgepole to help Dort Vliem celebrate her 99th birthday. Happy Birthday Dort and Keen! Duane Lewton stopped to visit us Sunday afternoon. We hadn't seen him since his Uncle Bud Hunt's funeral in 2008.

After paying our taxes, I'll leave you with these:

A visitor from Holland was chatting with his American friend and was jokingly ex-

plaining about the red, white and blue in the Netherlands flag. "Our flag symbolizes our taxes," he said. "We get red when we talk about them, white when we get our tax bill, and blue after we pay them."

"That's the same with us," the American said, "Only we see stars, too."

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Put these words upon his tomb, 'Taxes drove me to my doom...'
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Then and Now in Newell

“Looking Forward to our Past”

by Linda Velder

April 2, 1912

Dr. Lloyd reports the arrival of a boy Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. & Mrs. James C. Counter. This makes some where in the neighborhood of 8 or 9 boys in Newell but nary a girl. Mr. & Mrs. Peter Lindstrom on Cottonwood Creek, their 8th son arrived last Friday night to gladden their home.

Once again the grim reaper visited the vicinity snatched a bud and transported it to heaven. Little Esther Jane Wilson, 3½ year old daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Charles Wilson, who live a short distance south of town, took their child from their fond embrace and left aching hearts and weeping eyes behind. Little Esther had the whooping cough and pneumonia set in and she lasted 3 days. The funeral service was at their home and conducted by Rev Brown and a quartette rendered several appropriate selections. She was laid to rest in the Wilson Cemetery, the funeral procession was over half mile in length and was the longest ever held on an infant. Henry Wilson his father has 6 children and 11 grandchildren and this is the first death that has occurred in the family in 50 years.

March 30, 1922

O.W. Brennamann has leased the repair shop of the Amunson & Son Garage and is now ready for business in the automobile repair line.

The Nisland Press has been told that C.M. Michelson has bought H. Shippy's interest in the store at Fruitdale. The ice for several miles up and down the river from Nisland went out last Saturday night. Another large consignment from up above Belle Fourche went down on Tuesday night. From the amount of snow and ice that was on the ground this spring,

the river did not raise very high, as it melted gradually and went into the ground.

Miss Snyder of the New York Store of Deadwood will show a nice line of spring hats on Saturday, April 1, at Guy Kenaston & Co. This will be a fine time to purchase Easter finery.

March 31, 1932

A merger of the Little Missouri Bank of Camp Crook with Butte County Bank of Belle Fourche was announced this week by W.B. Penfold, Vice President of the latter institution. Mr. Penfold said the Little Missouri Bank will be closed and all transactions carried on by facilities in Belle Fourche. Present officers of the Little Missouri Bank include Cahier A.C. Frohlich and Assistant Cashier B.W. Keating with no indication of any change in officers of the merged institutions. Of Little Missouri Bank: Capital was \$25,000, Surplus \$10,000 and Deposits \$200,000. The merge will leave assets of the Butte County Bank approximately \$1,000,000.

Several ladies of the Dry Creek neighborhood held a stork shower for Mrs. Henry Ypparila Friday afternoon. That evening the Ypparila family visited and was supper guests at the Abe Ahonen home.

The Fire Department this week made a much needed improvement when they hauled gravel on the street in front of the building housing the fire fighting equipment. Edward Bushnell made a similar improvement in front of the Newell Garage on 3rd Street.

April 2, 1942

The Newell Community Club will be represented next Tuesday at the 12 o'clock annual dinner given by the CCC Camp at Orman. This was decided at

the regular monthly meeting of the Newell club last Friday evening. In the absence of the President and Vice President, Past President F.C. Youngblutt presided. A resolution was passed unanimously in which the County Commission were requested to retain the services of the County Nurse. Highway matters were discussed to some length with no action taken at this time.

In the board meeting Tuesday of this week the Irrigation District officers decided to make water run for those who are in need of fresh water for livestock. The charge will be \$10 per pond, payable in advance. Water is now being turned into the North Canal and be run only a few days, so it is urgent that anyone wanting this service should make the necessary arrangements at once and pay the amount called for. F.C. Youngblutt, District Superintendent will handle matters.

Billy Jim Clark received a letter from his father Wm. S. Clark, who is at the US Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill. Company 199, that he has enlisted for submarine training and will be there until May 15. Clark states that he has been playing softball, unlike baseball, and likes it very much. He has apparently given some of the younger men a surprise to his ability on the diamond.

April 5, 1952

After being closed over the past week end, the Cove Café in Newell reopened Tuesday morning after being redecorated and rearranged by Mr. & Mrs. Herby Lowell. The brightening included laying of inlaid linoleum, repapering and repainting, all in attractive materials and colors. The re-arranging included moving of fountain to the south wall in order to permit





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A 1910 photo of Easter Jane Wilson and her big sister Ruth Mildred Wilson.

joining of counters in the front of the building, allowing for increased room and table service in rear portion.

A number of cars are still needed for transportation of Newell High School students to the vocal musical section of the West River Music Festival at Lead this Saturday; it is announced by Supt. G.W. Austin. Persons desiring to assist the event are requested to call the school as soon as possible.

The Experiment Farm employees and their families gathered at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Harry Weakly last Wednesday evening for a farewell party for Mr. & Mrs. Kenny Mailoux. Games were played and the honored guests were presented with a gift after a nice pot-luck lunch was served. Mr. Mailoux has been employed at the Experiment Farm for the past 4 years and resigned his job to accept a job on maintenance work at Orman Dam under Vic Norlin and moved his family there this last week end.

Cheryle Proctor entered the Belle Fourche Hospital Mon-

day where she underwent an emergency appendectomy performed by Dr. Joseph Pokorny. It was the doctor's second such operation performed there in the past week.

March 29, 1962

Specials this week at Gambles: Battery headquarters: DeLuxe \$12.45 designed and built for rugged tractor use and Super Active Varcon battery for \$14.50. You can trade in your old battery for a new one. And they are your Zenith TV specialists: a 19" TV for \$199.95 this is America's number 1 TV and is not "stripped down" inside. See Milberg Bros., authorized Gambles Dealers, downtown Newell.

Mrs. W. J. Thomson of New Castle, Wyo, mother of Mrs. Vern Hafner of Newell, will be honored with other finalists from that state during Mothers' Week, April 8 -14 by her home city. In May Mrs. Thomson will go to New York City to be honored with mothers representing other states, together with America's Mother of the Year.



The Little Missouri Bank merged with the Butte County Bank. The fire-proof safe (built 1889) from the bank is on display in the Newell Museum

Kjellsen Receives Scholarship

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NEWELL – NHS senior Sydnee Kjellsen received a \$5,000 scholarship provided by Legends for Kids, honoring student athletes. Kjellsen was one of eight students across the state to receive the scholarship.

A new class of outstanding high school seniors has been selected to receive the seventh annual Legends for Kids Scholarship. The scholarship is a \$5,000 award that recognizes eight high school student-athletes for their exceptional character in leadership in athletics, school and community involvement. This class will bring the cumulative total to 56 scholarships totaling \$280,000 in seven years.

Developed in conjunction with Hy-Vee/Sanford Legends, the scholarship program was created by Hy-Vee, Sanford Health and First PREMIER with support from KELOLAND Television, Beal Distributing, Novak Sanitary Service, Pepsi-Cola/Dr. Pepper, Combined Pool and Spa, Silverstar Car Wash, Sioux Falls Skyforce/Sky’s the Limit Foundation, UBS Financial Services, Cellular Only/Verizon, Elgethun Capital Management, Operation Helpful Smile, Prairie Farms and Tim and Julie Stupka. Recipients must use the scholarship for post-secondary education. Other graduating seniors were selected based on nominations from coaches, teachers and administrators: Jacob Angerhofer – Aberdeen Central (Northern State Univer-



NHS senior Sydnee Kjellsen received a \$5,000 scholarship provided by Legends for Kids, honoring student athletes. - Courtesy photo

sity)
Kylie Foss – Brandon Valley (Northwestern College - Orange City, Iowa)
Caleb Henderson – Canton (South Dakota School of Mines)
Sam Scholten – Brandon Valley (Augustana University)
Paige Sterud – Dell Rapids (Nova Southeastern University)
Derrek VanderLeest – Sioux Falls Christian (Dordt University)
Mya Vandrovec – Sioux Falls Roosevelt (Fort Hays State University)
Hy-Vee/Sanford Legends events are scheduled for June 6-11. Information regarding free youth clinics and appearances

by celebrity athletes will be announced soon.
The Hy-Vee/Sanford Legends program provides learning opportunity for young student-athletes to grow and be inspired in the world of sports by providing different sporting clinics and camps. Each year, celebrity athletes who represent the Legends goals—quality, integrity and character—are brought to Sioux Falls.
Kjellsen plans to attend Black Hills State University in the fall of 2022 and major in Elementary education, with a minor in either Athletic Coaching or Reading. She is the daughter of Tanya and John Kjellsen and has one brother, Brock.

Solutions to Puzzles on B7

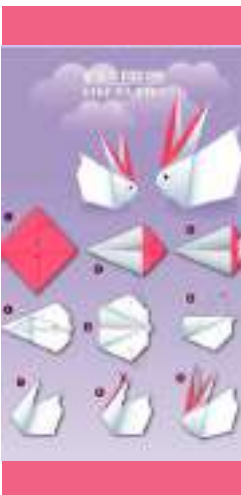


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2	6	8	1	9	3	4	5	7
9	5	1	2	4	7	6	3	8
3	7	9	4	8	5	2	6	1
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PREVIOUS SOLUTION: “If people are not proper reaping to sowing, there would be a hungry person in the land.” – Author Unknown

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Unicorns Appear at NHS Spring Play

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NEWELL- Dreams can be mysterious, they can possibly be true, or they can take us on adventures to unknown places for treasures beyond our boundaries. An original play written by Addie Wich, a student at NHS, took the audience and characters on an escapade to undisclosed parts of the world where unicorns hide treasure. Well, maybe there isn’t any real

treasure, but the exploits were “real” to the dreamer.
Beware of the unicorns in “Dakota Jones” was a treat to watch as the students portrayed characters that explored the jungles looking for treasure. From Dakota and her cohort and nemesis sister, Carolina, to the jungle escort, Arizona, the group explored the jungle. There were secret plans and spiders, along with a mysterious elevator that

went to places unknown. The unicorns and treasure were found, but Dakota had to decide between taking the treasure and rescuing her friends. Which would she choose?
The next thing you know, Dakota was found sleeping at her desk at school with her teacher telling her it was time to wake up. Her friends were there, so evidently, she made the wisest choice. Friends are more valu-

able than unicorn treasure!
The Spring NHS play this year was directed by Mara Carrier and Jenn Stomprud and written by Addie Wich. Members of the cast were as Dakota-McKenzie Rans, Carolina-Addie Wich, Arizona-Rylan Gross, Montana and teacher-Autumn Oakes, Texas-Jenna Yule, Tennessee-Jacey Larson, Unicorn Guy and Pizza Guy-Conor Kenny, and as a voice

in the background-Karley Larson. The crew members were Karley Larson, Justin Stranberg, Amber Wich, Justin Yates, Joshua Stomprud, Kaira Stomprud, Vinnie Lewis, and Robert Garza. Special thanks to Affordable Flowers, the Yule Family, V Lazy J Custom, Newell School Staff and Coaches, High School Band and Middle School Chorus, Mr. Schoenfish and Mr. Fergen.



The cast of “Dakota Jones” pose before the first performance Friday night. From the left back row are Justin Stomprud, Conor Kenny, Justin Yates, Justin Stranberg, Addie Wich, and Jacey Yule. In the front are McKenzie Rans, Kaira Stomprud, Autumn Oakes, Rylan Gross, Jenna Yule, and Karley Larson. - Betty Bruner photo



Sisters Dakota (McKenzie Rans), and Carolina (Addie Wich), were consternated about the future and upset they had to rely on each other. - Betty Bruner photo



(Above) Dakota (McKenzie Rans) tries to explain to her teacher (Autumn Oakes) that she was really not sleeping at her desk. (Left) Traipsing through the jungle the adventurers were still confused on the route. Tennessee (Jacey Larson), Texas, (Jenna Yule), Dakota (McKenzie Rans), Arizona (Rylan Gross), and Carolina (Addie Wich), look in all directions for the way of escape.- Betty Bruner photos



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CONSUMER: LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER. LIMIT ONE OFFER PER COUPON. COUPON MAY NOT BE REPRODUCED OR TRANSFERRED. GOOD ONLY AT SPARTANNASH SUPPLIED STORES. RETAILER: REDEEM TO SPARTANNASH ON DC SCAN RECAP FORM.





6.99

ea.

Our Family
Ultra Big Paper Towels
6 Rolls



3.99

ea.

Family Size
Cookies or Crackers
Nabisco 8.5-20 oz.



2.99

ea.

Nature Valley or Fiber One
Bars
Select 5-6 ct.



2/5.00

Betty Crocker
No Bake Cookie Bites
12.2 oz. asst.

DAIRY...



**Shredded
or Chunk Cheese**

Our Family 6-8 oz.

2 for \$4



Land O Lakes ~ 16 oz. Regular

Sour Cream
2.39 ea.



Prairie Farms
**Whipped
Light Cream**
7 oz.

2.99 ea.



Blue Bonnet
Margarine
Select 16 oz.

1.19 ea.



8-16 oz.

I Can't Believe It's Not Butter!

2.99 ea.



Land O Lakes

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64 oz.

\$1.99
ea.



Our Family ~ 8 oz. asst.

Natural Cheese Slices

2/5.00



FROZEN...



Bellatoria Pizza

12" asst. Ultra Thin or Pan Style

\$5.99
ea.



Prairie Farms ~ 1 Quart asst.

Sherbet
1.99 ea.



Our Family ~ 10-12 ct.

Pancakes or Waffles

1.99 ea.



Our Family

Potato Crowns

30 oz.

\$2.99
ea.



1.00 ea.

7 oz. asst.

Banquet Pot Pies

5/5.00



Pepperidge Farm
Layer Cake
Select 19.6 oz.

2.99 ea.



North Star
**Mini Vanilla
Ice Cream
Sandwiches**
16 pk.

3.99 ea.

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Colgate Toothpaste

Select 4.6 oz.

\$2.99
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\$3.99
ea.

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Pantene 10.4-12.6 oz.



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Simply Done 20 ct. AA or AAA

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Dakotamart Pride
Boneless Ribeye Roast
USDA Choice, Valupak

Whole Boneless Ribeye **8.99** lb.



Boneless Pork Loin Roast

1.99 lb.



Cloverdale
Boneless Tear Drop Half Ham

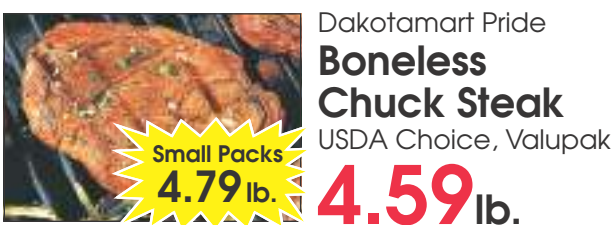
4.99 lb.



Dakotamart Pride
Boneless Ribeye Steak
USDA Choice, Valupak

12.79 lb.

Small Packs **12.99** lb.



Dakotamart Pride
Boneless Chuck Steak
USDA Choice, Valupak

4.59 lb.

Small Packs **4.79** lb.



Boneless Center Cut Pork Chops
Valupak

2.29 lb.

Small Packs **2.49** lb.



Midwest Pride
Pork Links
Valupak

3.79 lb.

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Cloverdale ~ 28 oz. Tangy
Summer Sausage

8.99 ea.



Dakota Brand
Meat Franks
2 lb.

6.99 ea.



Midwest Pride ~ 20 oz.
Sliced Bacon

7.59 ea.



Oscar Mayer
Meat Wieners, Bologna or Cotto Salami
Select 14-16 oz.

2.99 ea.



Valupak 6.19 lb.

Frozen ~ 5 lb. Box
Cod Fillets

5.99 lb.



Open Acres
Perch Fillets
16 oz.

6.99 ea.



Open Acres
Cooked Tail-On Shrimp
16 oz., 16-20 ct.

12.99 ea.



Seafarer ~ 16 oz. asst.
Imitation Crab

2/7.00

PRODUCE...



2 for \$4

Matchstix, Petite or Carrot Chips
Bolthouse 10-16 oz.



2 for \$4

Dole Salads
8-11 oz. Classic Romaine, Greener Selection or Teen Spinach



\$2.99 ea.

Locally Grown
Red Potatoes
5 lb. Bag



Hass 6 ct.
Avocados

4.99 ea.



67¢ ea.

Super Select
Cucumbers

3/2.00



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Bartlett Pears

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On The Vine
Red Tomatoes

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DELI...



Chicken Drumsticks & Thighs
10-Piece

8.99 ea.



Mrs. Gerry's Creamy Coleslaw
3.49 lb.

Reser's
Mashed Potatoes

1.99 lb.



King's Hawaiian
Rolls
Select 12 ct.

2/7.00

BEVERAGES...



Coke Products
2 Liter asst.

3/4.00

1.34 ea.



3.00 ea.

7.5 oz. 6 pk. asst.
Coke Products

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59 oz. asst.

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3.00 ea.

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